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JOHNSON IS RE-ELECTED BUSINESS CLUB PRESIDENT

S. E. Eberstadt Re-Elected Secretary and Given a Raise in Salary—Cotton Mill Project Extensively Discussed and Referred to City Improvement Committee—Larger Quarters for the Club.

Voting by acclamation the newly elected board of directors of the Bryan and Brazos County Commercial association at their first meeting this morning chose the following officers: President—O. S. Johnson. First Vice President—M. E. Wallace. Second Vice President—J. S. Doane. Secretary—S. E. Eberstadt. Treasurer—F. L. Cavitt.

After the reading of the minutes of the annual meeting held Thursday night of last week, the directors, of whom there was an exceptionally good attendance, went into the election. Upon motion of Major L. L. McInnis, A. W. Wilkerson was made temporary chairman, and after haggling a minute about methods of procedure, Mr. Johnson was nominated by Major McInnis and every man present seconded the nomination. Mr. Johnson sought to decline on the plea that he is now more busy than ever, that the job involves the expenditure of lots of time and worry, but a vote was called for and he was elected by acclamation. In responding Mr. Johnson said that he appreciated the trust and confidence thus expressed more than the honor.

His election automatically removed him from the chairmanship of the highway committee, and H. C. Fulgham was elected to that position. President Johnson announced that he would call the seven chairmen of the standing committees together Friday morning at 10 o'clock to make up the membership of their several committees, and consider matters to be taken up by the committees.

Secretary Eberstadt read a letter from Ben C. Love of Franklin relative to the marking of the King of Trails through Robertson county to Wheelock. The work has been completed, he stated.

The secretary read a resolution presented by C. L. Beason for the agricultural committee, insisting that the state be protected against the pink boll worm and urging the governor to take such action as may be needed to prevent the whole state from being quarantined.

A great deal of time was spent in a discussion of the cotton mill, much of it being relative to the success and failure of various enterprises with which members were acquainted. Ed Hall read a letter from a textile engineer who, having seen his name mentioned in the newspapers in connection with this enterprise, had telephoned, telegraphed and written him. One feature of the letter that bore on the failures in Texas was to the effect that many of the mills had been planned and erected on the advice or under the direction of machinery manufacturers, whose chief aim was to sell the machinery, regardless of the future success of the mills. Some mills, this man said, are making as high as 150 per cent profit, and others less, down to 40. Well planned mills properly equipped to handle products that are suitable to the local conditions and provided with working capital and good management, he contended, usually succeed.

The upshot of the discussion was that the city development committee, of which John Vick is chairman, take up the matter, investigate the cotton mill situation as thoroughly as possible and if he and his committee think favorable of the project for Bryan, then present it to the monied interests here for their further investigation and consideration.

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MALIGN SCHOOL GIRLS.

(By Associated Press) El Paso, May 29.—Young women posing as girl students of the El Paso high schools and who wear the school's colors are responsible for the talk of immorality among El Paso high school girls, according to officials of the board of education. Steps have been taken to prosecute people who circulate reports of immorality among the students.

LUFKIN RED CROSS SUPPLIES.

Lufkin, Tex., May 29.—The Lufkin Red Cross unit and its auxiliaries have shipped over 9000 bandages and surgical dressings and 11,000 garments. The entire second floor of the Masonic building is given over to the Red Cross as a work room.

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REVENUE HEARINGS.

(By Associated Press). Washington, May 29.—The house ways and means committee agreed to begin public hearings on revenue legislation a week from tomorrow.

CONTINUOUS SESSION OF FEDERAL COURTS IS PROPOSED BY GREGORY

United States District Attorney Advised Relative to War Laws.

(By Associated Press) Washington, May 29.—The speeding up of justice by holding federal courts in continuous session and giving immediate trials to persons charged with violating the war statutes was urged by Attorney General Gregory in instructions to all United States attorneys today. The attorneys were told to confer with federal judges and to have grand juries in constant session. If exigencies require special juries to be called.

FIRST STANDARDIZED FABRICATED STEEL VESSEL LAUNCHING

(By Associated Press) Washington, May 29.—Launching tomorrow at Newark Bay of the first of the new standardized fabricated steel vessels for cargo carrying built by the emergency fleet corporation will take place, it is announced by the shipping board.

NAVY DOCTOR IS HELD FOR HOARDING

(By Associated Press) Washington, May 29.—Francis Nash, medical director of the navy and wife, have been indicted by a grand jury here on a charge of hoarding foodstuffs. Officers found among other things a ton and a half of sugar stored in the Nash home.

COMPANY 'B' WON HOWELL FLAG THIRD TIME IN SUCCESSION

For the third time in succession and for the sixth time in 16 years, company B of the cadet corps at A. and M. college has been presented with the Howell flag for the best drilled company at college. The flag is donated each year by Will Howell of Bryan and the presentation was made by President Bizzell yesterday afternoon at the close of the dress parade, this feature marking the last event of the 42nd annual commencement. Company B made a score of 87 points out of a possible 100 and is commanded by J. L. Hudgins of Houston, one of the six men recommended to the adjutant general of the U. S. army, from among the members of the senior class as showing special proficiency in military matters.

The senior officers yesterday afternoon turned over their swords to their successors in the junior class and then left college, the majority of them to enter some of the officers' training camps or some other phase of the military service.

Cadets who won the title of "distinguished students" the past year by reason of having received no term grade below that of "B" were announced as follows: Freshman class—V. Bennett, Cuero; F. W. Heron, San Antonio; A. L. Randall, Amarillo; A. J. Neyland, Goliad; E. H. Varnell, Barry; P. M. Tyson, Maysfield. Sophomore class—J. K. Edwards, Gainesville; E. E. McQuillen, Galveston, and H. Ross, Del Rio. Two-year men—A. E. Day, Jefferson; B. Penn, Whiteville, and E. C. Pierce, Caruthersville, Mo.

All trains leaving College yesterday afternoon and last night were crowded with home-going students, while at 7 o'clock last night a special train for North Texas left over the H. and T. C. carrying several hundred cadets.

FIRST TEXAS CAVALRY. Houston, May 29.—The first brigade, Texas cavalry, now has approximately 4000 men on its rolls. With but 600 to enlist there is but little doubt that the brigade will be ready for muster by June 1. Major Harvey Clark is working overtime mustering various troops. Already 17 troops have been mustered into the state service and others have been recruited to war strength.

FRENCH AND BRITISH TROOPS RUSH IN TO STOP ONSLAUGHT

**ITALIANS DEFEAT IN
FORTY HOURS FIGHT
A SUPERIOR FORCE**

Most Brilliant Mountain Operation Since the Beginning of the War.

(By Associated Press) Italian Army Headquarters, May 29.—The most brilliant mountain operation since the beginning of the war was carried out by the Italians in the Tonale region, northwest of Trent. The basin of Lake Presena was captured by the Italians after 40 hours of fierce fighting against a numerically superior enemy. The enemy was driven out with the bayonet.

SIXTEEN INSANE MEN BURNED TO DEATH IN CAROLINA HOSPITAL

(By Associated Press) Columbia, S. C., May 29.—Sixteen white male patients at the South Carolina hospital for the insane perished in a fire that destroyed the structure today. Fifteen were burned to death and the other was rescued, dying later.

EQUAL SUFFRAGISTS MEET.

(By Associated Press) Austin, May 29.—Delegates from over the state are here attending the convention of the Texas Equal Suffrage association.

Governor Hobby will address that convention at 5 o'clock this afternoon. The sentiment of the convention is for a suffrage amendment to the federal constitution.

MEXICAN CHARGE HOME FROM CUBA

(By Associated Press) Laredo, Tex., May 29.—Alberto Franco, former Mexican charge at Havana, Cuba, passed through here en route to Mexico City. He said he had been recalled.

THOUSAND JEWISH REFUGEES ARE LOST

(By Associated Press) New York, May 29.—About one thousand Jewish refugees from Batum were drowned when the steamship Oriole, carrying 1500 passengers, recently sunk in the Caspian Sea, according to a telegram received here by a newspaper today from its correspondent at Harbin.

BERLIN PAPERS MUST NOT TALK TOO MUCH

(By Associated Press) London, May 29.—Berlin papers have been given orders to tone down their war editorials, says a message to the Express. The Cologne Volkszeitung says, "Our new success shows again confidence in our leaders."

UNITED KINGDOM CROPS LOOK GOOD

(By Associated Press) London, May 29.—The present crop condition in the United Kingdom generally gives reasonable hope for an average yield, according to a report of the director general of food production. The indicated total tillage for the year will be over 4,000,000 acres.

\$1 A BUSHEL FOR POTATOES. Brenham, May 29.—Washington County Farmers' Union held a meeting and decided to hold the potato crop at a minimum price of \$1 per bushel. The spuds have been selling as low as 54¢ per bushel, but advanced Tuesday to 90¢. There is a big potato crop and every farmer will store away a winter's supply.

EXPRESS COMPANIES TO BE CONSOLIDATED

(By Associated Press) Washington, May 29.—The saving of millions of dollars and better service to millions of people was predicted today upon the merging into a private corporation of the capital stock of \$30,000,000 of the four leading express companies of the country.

Washington, May 29.—One united express company for the United States was created by agreement between Director General McAdoo and the Adams, American, Wells Fargo and Southern express companies, whose transportation business will be merged under a new private corporation with capital of more than \$30,000,000, to be known probably as the Federal Express company. George C. Taylor, now president of the American, will be head of the concern.

Effective July 1, shippers will direct shipments "by express" without regard to company, and soon thereafter the individual names of the separate companies will begin to disappear from wagons, stations and cars. The company will be the express carrying agency of the railroads, operating privately, but under contract to turn over 50-1-4 per cent of their gross revenues—more than \$200,000,000 last year—to the roads for transportation privileges. Three smaller railroad-owned companies, the Western, Great Northern and Northern, may join the combination later.

A pending application for 10 per cent increase in rates will be passed upon soon by the interstate commerce commission.

More than 100,000 employees of the four companies are to be retained under the new corporation and their wages will be raised in many cases, according to Mr. Taylor. The amount will be determined after the scale of wage advances for railroad employees is examined carefully.

EARNEST SYMPATHY WITH SLAV MOVEMENT

(By Associated Press) Washington, May 29.—The United States government views with "earnest sympathy" the nationalistic aspirations of the Czech-Slovaks and Jugoslavs, Secretary Lansing said today.

SUMMER SCHOOL AT A. AND M. COLLEGE WILL OPEN MONDAY

Now that the regular term at A. and M. college is closed everything is being made ready for the annual summer session that will open next Monday, June 3, and continue through July 27. Dr. J. O. Morgan, director, announces that the prospect is good for the best summer school in the history of the college and every effort is being put forth to make it a vital factor in winning the war in addition to giving the regular instruction that is offered.

Embodied in the summer session are the rural life school of six weeks, the normal course of six weeks, the college course of eight weeks, the school of cotton classing of six weeks and the farmers' short course of one week.

Military science and tactics will be offered all who want to take this character of instruction and emphasis will be laid upon the inculcation of loyalty in the schools through lectures by experts sent here by the national security league, the program of food conservation will be stressed from time to time by representatives of the federal food administration, and Dr. J. A. Puffer of Berlin, Mass., one of the leading experts of the country on the vocational guidance of youth, will visit the college from July 3 to 5 and deliver a series of addresses upon this subject. A number of other experts will speak from time to time, including Dr. H. T. Musselman, editor of the Texas School Journal.

The farmers' short course will be held from July 22 to July 27.

COW DRAPED IN FLAG.

(By Associated Press) Waco, May 29.—C. L. Richardson, negro, did some explaining in police court recently. Richardson owns a cow. The flies, as it is their wont, bothered her. Richardson as a protection to his cow draped her in an American flag. An officer saw the cow and telephoned headquarters. "Pinch her and bring her in," he was told. He followed instructions and when Richardson found that his source of supply for milk and butter had disappeared he investigated. "We don't stand for desecration of the flag even from a cow," the officers told him. He got back the cow but the police kept the flag.

Desperate Battle Being Fought between Soissons and Rheims

GIVE WAY BEFORE BIGGER FORCE

Some Slight Retirements Reported on Parts of the Front Because of the Masses of Germans—Germans Have Taken a Half Score of Villages and 1500 Prisoners in the First Onslaught.

(By Associated Press)

German attacks across the Aisne apparently are slowing down, as the French and British troops are rushing in to stem the enemy onslaught, the center of which reaches the Vesle river around Fismes, half way between Soissons and Rheims, which is the center of allied communications. A desperate battle is being fought. Berlin claims the Germans crossed the Vesle on either side of Fismes, but the French are still holding the town stubbornly while the reserves come up.

On the right northwest of Rheims the British are maintaining a commanding position north of Thierry. The French on the left stopped the German onrushes with counter attacks around Neuville-Sur-Margival and Vregny. On account of overwhelming numbers the Germans captured in the first attack half a score of villages and 15,000 prisoners, penetrating the allied line on the Aisne front.

WITHHOLDING COMMENT.

(By Associated Press) London, May 29.—Several morning newspapers are withholding comment on the battle of the Aisne. Others admit the Germans gained a substantial success but deprecate the idea of treating the enemy's advance too seriously. It is recalled that similar thrusts have not been followed by continuous success.

LINE RE-ESTABLISHED.

(By Associated Press) London, May 28.—"Counter attacks this morning by Franco-British troops re-established the entente line east of Diekebusch Lake," says Haig's report tonight.

FOCH'S HAND GUIDES.

(By Associated Press) Paris, May 29.—General Foch has the situation well in hand and French

troops are beginning to gain on the German advanced forces in the speed contest. No important line communications are yet threatened by the German drive.

FRENCH AND BRITISH FALL BACK.

(By Associated Press) Paris, May 29.—French troops have fallen back to the eastern outskirts of Soissons where the battle continues bitterly, the French war office announces this afternoon. Franco-British troops have fallen back to the heights south and southeast of St. Thierry, where they are holding positions between the Vesle and the Aisne canal. American troops west of Mont Didier, the French statement says, repulsed two German counter attacks against the village of Cantigny. In the center fighting is going on with varying success on the heights on the southern bank of the Vesle. The French are bravely defending the positions.

(By Associated Press) Amsterdam, May 29.—Emperor William, on the field of battle south of Laon, Aisne front, sent the following telegram to the empress at Potsdam: "William (Crown Prince Frederick William) today attacked the British on the Chemin des Dames. After being subjected to strong artillery fire the heights were stormed by my glorious infantry. We have crossed the Aisne and are approaching Vesle. Our losses are small. Tomorrow we make further progress."

LONG RANGE BOMBARDMENT.

(By Associated Press) Paris, May 29.—The long range bombardment of Paris began again this morning. Examination of shells discharged by the German long range gun since Monday indicate that new guns are being used. Larger shells are employed than formerly. The calibre is nine and a half inches.

Have the Huns on the Run, Says an American Army Officer in France

(By Associated Press) With the American Army in France, May 29.—Many Americans who took part in the successful attack against the German lines at Mont Didier Tuesday participated in the repulse of the German raid against the American lines Monday. One American officer said, "It is more exciting than a football game. We have the Huns on the run."

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSSES.

(By Associated Press) With the American Army in France, May 29.—Three men attached to the American marine corps and two infantrymen have been awarded the distinguished service cross for conspicuous heroism in action. Two crosses will be delivered to the next of kin because the men upon whom crosses were conferred lost their lives in fighting.

AMERICAN SUCCESSSES.

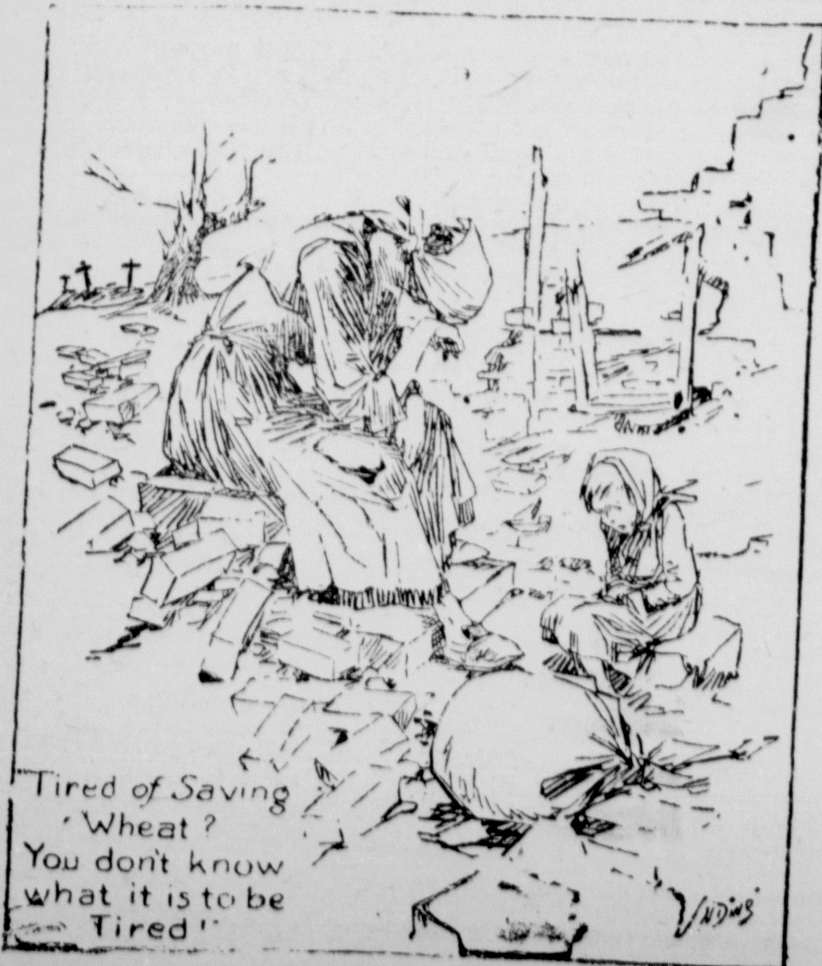
(By Associated Press) Washington, May 29.—Reports of successful operations by American soldiers are coming to the war department, Secretary Baker said today.

SMOTHERED THE GERMANS.

(By Associated Press) With the American Army in France, May 29.—Americans penetrated German positions to a depth of nearly a mile in yesterday's operation at Cantigny. Artillery completely smothered the Germans. The uproar of American guns can be heard miles away.

GAVE WAY TO LARGE FORCE.

(By Associated Press) With the French Army in France, Tuesday night, May 28.—The German offensive made only slight progress today. On account of heavy masses opposing them the all ies gave way in the center and at some places the enemy crossed the Aisne and Vesle.



EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT OF THE BRYAN WEEKLY EAGLE

Work or Fight

No disinterested person will criticize the new regulation under the selective draft law that puts into active service every man who is not following some useful occupation. It will come hard, perhaps, to do without professional baseball, horse races and other amusements of that sort, including the betting on cotton, stocks and other commodities and securities, but we will become accustomed to it. And as for baseball, we will continue to have the amateur teams that will furnish us with such amusement as we need, and perhaps rouse our enthusiasm to a higher pitch. Recognizing the need for amusements as a diversion for the mind, we will have theatricals and moving pictures, for it is well understood by even amateur psychologists that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," and "A little humor now and then is relished by the best of men." It is said of one of our great American writers that he was fond of dime novels and cheap detective stories as a diversion for resting the mind. President Wilson, when he has a weighty subject under consideration, will go to the theater and perhaps choose one where there is comedy and lightness of thought. It will be recalled that, while debating the matter of declaring war against Germany, he went to a theater before he rendered his momentous decision to present the matter to congress. It can be guessed, then, that the president, recognizing this phase of human nature as being one to which there must be concession, was instrumental in having theatrical people exempted from the list of non-useful professions, and that this sole exemption was due, perhaps, to the fact that millions patronize the theaters where thousands attend ball games and similar amusements and diversions. In fact, we have ball games among the soldiers which the public is invited to witness, and that ought to supply the demand in that direction and at the same time provide more universal amusement of that character than is possible with the professional teams confined to the larger cities of their respective territories.

The new regulation probably goes as far as is possible under the selective service act. Under this act, the local exemption boards are required

to ascertain if men home on extended furlough are as badly needed on the farms as was represented by the applicants, and if they are spending too much time in town, taking the girls out auto riding too much, attending the theaters and other places of amusement too frequently, the board is required to report the facts and furloughs of such men are apt to be recalled.

A condition arises under the selective service act whereby other laws that have been passed for the period of this war are being made the subject of criticism. A good many negro women, perfectly able and capable of doing work, refuse employment in the homes of the white people because they are getting an allowance of \$25 or \$30 on the pay of their husbands or other relatives and find it sufficient to live upon. In many cases here this deprives white women of the opportunity to do work in the Red Cross rooms or engage in other of the war activities, being able to get no servants. We assume that the spirit of all the laws along this line is to require everybody to work, no matter how rich or poor they may be. They must engage in some useful employment, which may be keeping house, running a typewriter, sewing buttons on brown shirts or something that is of value to the government, directly or indirectly. Negro women who lie around and do nothing, and white women for that matter, and have no legitimate excuse are certainly as much slackers as are these men whom the new regulations seek to put at work or at fighting. As a rule little complaint can be lodged against the women of this country, for they have come forward in magnificent manner and are doing their part splendidly and to the best of their ability and training. They who are deprived of the privilege of doing public work may be maintaining good homes and raising patriotic boys and girls who will be made fit to occupy the places of their fathers and brother and big sisters later on. But there is a certain percentage who are pursuing the path of least resistance, and the selective service law can not reach them. They can be reached, however, and they will be reached sooner or later, probably just as soon as the situation becomes so acute it can not be ignored further.

AMERICAN FLAG, ITS SIGNIFICANCE TOLD BY HON. PAT NEFF

From Monday's Daily Eagle
In one of the most eloquent and inspiring addresses ever delivered at A. and M. college, Hon. Pat M. Neff of Waco last night spoke at length upon "The American Flag," tracing the origin and past history of that emblem in a manner that never ceased to be informing, interesting and stirring. What the flag stood for at its inception, what it has signified in the various wars it has come through victoriously and what it has always meant to those who have claimed allegiance to it were described in elegant and patriotic diction but it was in the description of what the stars and stripes stand for today in the world war and what it will mean to all the races of humanity hereafter by helping the allies win larger liberties for all the peoples of the world that the speaker reached his climax.

He quoted an English officer to the effect that the war would end when the army behind the lines of the allies armies learn to obey orders and declared this was a message for all the people to take home with them as indicating the most effective service they can render the flag at the present time and in order that the people of the next generation may know more about the flag and what it stands for, in order that they may reverence and serve it more intelligently, he urged the teaching of the history and significance of the flag in all the schools and colleges of the land, public and private. Laws providing for this and for the flying of the flag above all public school houses have been adopted in 31 states already, he said.

The address was delivered before the college Y. M. C. A. and was the concluding address of the year, and also a feature of the 42nd annual commencement.

JONES TO WEST POINT.

Gaynor B. Jones has received word that he passed his examination for entrance to West Point. The examination was stood in San Antonio in March and he is to report at West Point June 14. He received his appointment when attending A. and M. college but left school to take up special work in preparation for his examination. This is quite an honor and his many friends are proud of the record he made. As for him, it is the realization of his life's ambition and there is no doubt but that he will make good.

BOYS FOR CAMP SHERIDAN.

President Bizzell announced Sunday that 183 young men from the senior division reserve officers' training corps at college would be admitted to the officers' training camp at Camp Sheridan. These were urged to report immediately at the office of the commandant. They are to be sent on a special train to arrive there June 3. The train will leave on May 31. The course will continue until July 3. Some of the sophomore class, he said, are entitled to the honors but they must meet the physical requirements.

Barbed wire cuts, ragged wounds, collar and harness galls heal up quickly when BAILLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is applied. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price 25c. 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by M. H. James.

WEDDINGTON'S DEATH IN WACO YESTERDAY

From Saturday's Daily Eagle
H. A. Weddington, aged 42, one of Waco's very prominent citizens, was found dead at his home, Seventeenth and Blair streets, shortly before 5 o'clock this morning. News of his sudden demise spread rapidly over the city, causing the most sincere and profound regret.

The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the First Baptist church, Rev. J. M. Dawson officiating. Interment will be made at Oakwood.

Mr. Weddington came to Waco as a lad of 15. He was born at Bryan, and had been associated with Nash, Robinson & Co., for many years, beginning his career with the firm as errand boy and collector, when he first came to this city. He had been manager of the Nash-Robinson yards at both Mart and McGregor, coming back here in about 1911. At the time of his death Mr. Weddington was in charge of the yard sales department of Nash, Robinson & Co., Waco.

In social and business circles here, Mr. Weddington commanded the friendship and esteem of many. He was of the type of man who endeared himself to all by his faithful performance of every duty, his unwavering loyalty to his friends and his sterling integrity. In his daily life he typified his worth as a citizen by doing his full part in every community endeavor.

Mr. Weddington was a faithful and most consistent member of the First Baptist church, and was among the very active workers of that denomination. He had been a member of the Masonic fraternity for many years.

Besides his wife, Mr. Weddington is survived by four children, Miss Edith, Reuel, Harvey and George Weddington. His mother, Mrs. R. L. Weddington, lives at Bryan, and he also has three sisters and one brother at that place, Mrs. R. L. Hearn, Misses Wesa and Alice Weddington and Dale Weddington. Another sister, Mrs. U. S. Shoemaker, lives in Washington, D. C. The survivors have the sympathy of many in their great bereavement.—Waco Times Herald.

MAJOR HOUS VISITS BRYAN.

From Monday's Daily Eagle
Major N. P. Hous, candidate from this district for the state senate, is in Bryan today attending to his canvass. "Too old for the army and just right for the legislature," is his campaign slogan. He is another editor who seeks to break into the ruling circles, following the brilliant highway projected by Governor Hobby and Johnston. He is editor, owner and publisher and all the rest of it of the Mexia Herald, a man highly esteemed in his home town and county and well known over Texas.

H. A. WEDDINGTON DEAD.

(By Associated Press)
Waco, May 24.—H. A. Weddington, a lumberman here, was found dead in his room this morning. A shotgun was used to kill himself. His mother and three sisters reside in Bryan, Tex.

Dizziness, vertigo, (blind staggers) sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. HERBINE is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Price 60c. Sold by M. H. James.

GUION HALL, A. & M. COLLEGE DEDICATED



GUION HALL, AT A. AND M. COLLEGE

Early arrivals at Guion hall took advantage of the time to make an inspection of the building and everyone spoke most appreciatively. It is of the Roman style of architecture, suggesting an old temple. The construction is poured concrete with reinforced steel hollow tile and brick, the only wood employed being in the doors, windows and chairs. The interior is pure white stucco with a touch of brass in the curtain rods and the chairs are of mahogany, making a beautiful contrast. Just sufficient decorations have been made to relieve

Building Unfinished but Services Held There

JUDGE GUION SPOKE

History of College and of the Institution Is Sketched by Speakers

From Saturday's Daily Eagle
Guion hall, the new assembly building of A. and M. college, was dedicated this morning in the presence of the students of the college, the campus residents and quite a number of business men from Bryan. All the seats thus far installed were occupied, and folding chairs were placed for those who did not have other seats. The hall was thus occupied and used for the first time, and will likely not be used again until the opening session in the fall.

President W. B. Bizzell took charge of the exercises, occupying the central chair on the stage, and at his right was E. H. Astin of the board and at his left the guest of honor, John I. Guion of Ballinger, for whom the hall was named, and who delivered the address. Officers of the college and members of the faculty occupied other chairs on the platform.

The first words spoken in the dedicatory service were an invocation to God by Rev. J. B. Jamison of St. Andrews church, Bryan, and was followed by the patriotic hymn, "America." Charles E. Friley, registrar, gave a brief history of Guion hall, such a building being made necessary by the condemnation of the old chapel, which when the student body first exceeded 1000 in 1910, became too small. The original bill appropriated through error, \$1,000,000, later corrected to \$100,000. The plans were accepted in November, 1916. The normal seating capacity is 2100, maximum 2500. The building is 180 feet long and 96 feet wide and the stage is 42x27. The name was selected in honor of Judge John I. Guion, chairman of the board of directors, an elegant gentleman of the old school.

Mr. Derden Ford, music director of the college, sang "Danny Dever" and was loudly applauded.

Major L. L. McNis, one of the men who, of Bryan citizens, has been longest identified with the college, having been one of the instructors some 40 years ago, spoke on "Some Recollections." He first commented on the fact that the boys wore this morning the cadet blue trousers and white shirts and said it took him back 40 years when the uniform was rigidly required on the blouse was worn buttoned up all the time. The idea of the necessity of giving military training to the youth now gaining widespread popularity, was recognized long ago by the pioneers in control of the college. In those days one man had variegated subjects to teach, one professor teaching mathematics, agronomy, science and other subjects, he said, too numerous to mention. This was one of the pioneer agricultural colleges, few educators having little if any knowledge of what such a college should consist. The school opened Oct. 5, 1876, with five members of the faculty, one president, six students, one building, a farm house, one mule and a second-hand compass. The legislature had little conception of what the college should consist. But it grew and soon new buildings were required. Many men now prominent were mentioned as former students of the college, among them Postmaster General Burleson. The appropriation at that time was \$15,000 to run the school two years. The faculty was made up of men of strong personality and there was lack of harmony. In 1887 the first big appropriation, \$40,000, was made. The college was growing in opposition to criticism, many holding that the college should be self-supporting. In 1887 congress passed the Hatch bill that brought to the college \$15,000, and under that act Dr. Mark Francis came to the institution. The old assembly hall was built as a result of federal reimbursement

monotony and yet conform to the demands of art. It is neither severely plain or excessively ornamented.

The arrangement of the building was also highly complimented. The seating capacity is 2500. The broad gallery occupies fully the three sides and about the main floor is a loggia separated from the seating space by broad flat pilasters that support the gallery. The stage is large enough for grand opera. At one side of it is a large room and at the other a stairway hall leading to the basement, which is big enough to accommodate 100 people with their professional paraphernalia. Another large room is

found in the southeast corner above the stage. The floor of the stage is oak.

In reality this is not designed as a stage but a platform, large, white pillars at the stage ends separating it from the main room, intensifying that impression.

The building is far from completion, much plaster work and painting yet to be done, and the electric wiring and installation of lights being only partially completed. The seats arrived Friday and as many as possible were put in before the opening hour this morning. The cost if the building is about \$100,000.

Visitors to the 42nd annual commencement of A. and M. college found plenty of things to keep them busy today. They saw the formal guard mounting at 8 o'clock, the live stock parade at 9, inspected the various departments of interest from 9:30 to 12 o'clock, visiting alumni and ex-students attended a luncheon tendered them in Sbis hall at noon, while at 2 o'clock this afternoon all the visitors, campus residents and others assembled in the rotunda of the main building where the large service flag of the college, containing 1815 stars, was raised with appropriate ceremonies, R. J. Potts of Waco, president of the Alumni association, delivering the principal address.

Dr. Bizzell recited the difficulties experienced in getting the building completed, it having been contracted for delivery July 1 of last year.

The doctor then elucidated and enlarged upon the inscription on the building, which was taken from the words of Shakespeare, "Ignorance is the curse of God, knowledge the wings whereby to fly to heaven."

Dr. Bizzell, with a story, introduced Judge Guion. The judge said that when General Pershing marches the victorious Americans down the streets of Berlin he will feel no greater pride than on this occasion. He felt that as a proud man he had a right to feel proud. The history of the college, its rise to a standing the superior of all in the south and the turning from its doors men of greatness and unflinching honor, to be chairman of its directors and to have engraved on one of its magnificent monumental buildings his name, he had a right to feel proud. The state university has no warmer friend than himself, and he wants to see it grow without jealousies but he wants it a university of the first class, and not an overgrown college.

"The only reason I know for the heaping of this honor upon me is the love and the devotion of an humble heart for this institution," he said. He spoke in extollation of Dr. Bizzell and the present board. "I respect, I honor and I love every one of them."

The lifting of the college from a mudhole in 1911 and making it the beauty spot it is, he said, will be continued under the direction of W. B. Bizzell until nothing in ten years will excel it. The love and devotion of Dean Wendell Spencer for the institution should entitle his name on a building. He also suggested naming a building for Dean Charles Puryear for the same reasons. He extolled Bernard Sbis for long and faithful service.

He closed by earnestly thanking the members of the faculty and the college officers for the faithful service rendered and the courtesy shown him as chairman of the board. To the boys he said he hoped they would remember him as their friend "in heart, soul and body." Loud applause followed.

"America," sung by the audience preceded the benediction by Rev. Dr. M. E. Weaver.

The competitive drill took place this afternoon and a reception is to be held at Dr. Bizzell's residence tonight.

MRS. STOKES GUILTY OF ESPIONAGE VIOLATION.

Kansas City, May 24.—Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes, charged with violation of the espionage act, was convicted by a jury in federal court here Thursday night.

Mrs. Stokes was convicted upon all three counts in the indictment against her.

After conferring with Francis M. Wilson, United States district attorney, and Seymour Stedman of Chicago, Mrs. Stokes' counsel, Judge Van Valkenburgh, announced that he would defer sentence pending a motion for new trial. He set June 1 as the date for hearing the motion.

The entire charge to the jury Thursday was devoted to consideration of the effect likely to be produced by the letter of Mrs. Stokes and how the jury were to determine the intent of the writer.

The prosecution of the case in no wise makes invalid the constitutional right of free speech and free press, the judge said.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhoea. McGEES BABY ELIXIR is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by M. H. James.

VISITORS AT COLLEGE ARE KEPT BUSY IN SEEING THE SIGHTS

From Monday's Daily Eagle
Forty-seven drafted men were sent to Camp Travis at 12:20 p. m. today, filling the last call for white men, and practically exhausting the available men in Class I, except those temporarily excused—as farmers as indispensably engaged in growing crops: Lawrence Conway, Sy Dement, Emil Byer, Addie C. Lipscomb, Harry S. Estill, Louis H. Holliday, Macias Fridad, Jr., Mat S. Bethel, Juan Lemmon, Carl H. Manthei, Joseph L. Worshan, Wm. P. Oprstiny, Robert E. Jones, Gus E. Plagens, Victor Robinson, Cabero Eucadro, Lodger Wymola, John Homola, Theo. J. Krolczyk, Chas. Burroughs, Joe Marona, Carroll J. Harris, Lee Dematier, Wm. P. Holliday, Herman Bentke, Jesus Medrona, Victor Dominic, Marcus Holleman, Tony M. Salvato, Anton Fridel, Dominick Salvage, Roy W. Nunn, Carl O. Singletary, Juan Martinez, Russell Worsham, John Wm. Davis, Chas. Degelia, Edgar E. Bullock, Joe Catalina, Wade H. Jones, Paul Mikulec, John Chesak, Artie J. Crone, Thos. D. Daly, Manuel Moon, Phelan Crenshaw, John Machas, Chas. Wymola, Wm. E. Lewis, Benj. Metzger, James Starsypka, Stiny Sikorsky, Paul Kopecky, Aug. Brocksmit, Nonzie Marell, Herman Kehlenbrick.

BEST DRILLED MEN IN CADET COMPANIES.

In the competitive drill to determine the best drilled cadet in the several companies of the cadet corps at A. and M. college the following men were declared winners by the judges, Lieutenants Bennett, Boyle and Dougherty of the Texas A. and M. college training detachment:

Company A, E. E. Reynolds, Mt. Calm; company B, W. T. Doherty, Houston; company C, H. Ross, Del Valle; company D, D. H. Rothe, Hon-do; company E, J. V. Wilson, Austin; company F, Jack McClinton, Waco; company G, C. F. Bouden, Columbus; company H, J. V. Adams, Taylor; company I, H. E. Gardner, Fort Worth; company K, P. T. Montfort, Chatfield; company L, A. L. Ballard, Bryan; company M, J. E. Woods, Corsicana.

The judges expressed their appreciation of the excellent showing made in the contest, all the competitors appearing to good advantage.

New List Licensees Named by President

President Wilson, on May 15 signed a proclamation requiring all persons, firms, corporations and associations engaged in the following businesses to secure licenses on or before June 1, under such rules and regulations governing conduct thereof as may be prescribed:

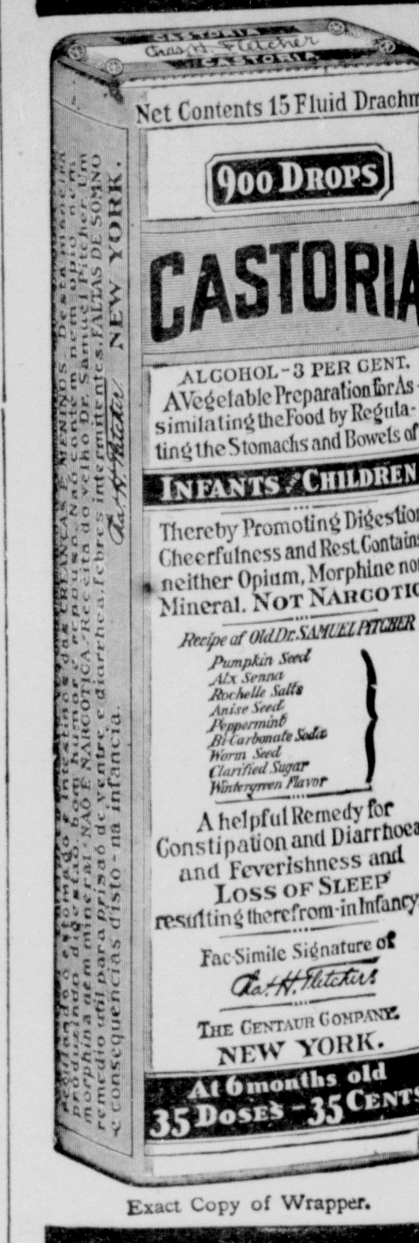
1. Packers of canned tuna.
2. Packers of mild cured, hard cured, salted, dried, smoked pickled or otherwise preserved salmon.
3. Operators of poultry and egg packing concerns not already licensed by the food administration.
4. Ginners, buyers, agents, dealers or other handlers of cotton seed not already licensed by the food administration, who handles yearly, between Sept. 1 and Aug. 31, more than 20 tons of cotton seed.
5. Importers, manufacturers or distributors of cotton seed hulls and owners of elevators, warehouses or other places of storage for cotton seed hulls.
6. Manufacturers of fermented beverages containing one-half of one per cent of alcohol.

Except from the above, as usual, retailers, common carriers and farmers.

Application for license must be made to license division at Washington on forms prepared by it for that purpose, which may be secured on request. If licenses are not secured, penalty prescribed by act of congress will be incurred.

E. A. PEDEN,
State Food Administrator,
C. L. BEASON,
County Food Administrator.

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Neil S. Holmes, an instructor in the auto mechanics training school, was reached in this call and was inducted in the service of the United States army, without pay, and formally assigned by the war department to do the same work he has been doing. Mr. Holmes makes the 48th man.

MILLIONS OF WOUNDED AND SICK RETURNED TO FRONT BY GERMAN

(By Associated Press)
New York, May 24.—Over two and one-half million wounded and sick men have been returned to the fighting front and nearly 700,000 have been discharged as unfit for service, Surgeon General Schulz said in a statement to the reichstag.

LEE CHAPEL OVER THE TOP.

From Monday's Daily Eagle
The campaign to raise \$550 at Lee chapel, colored, ended last night. In the final count it was found the officers, members and friends had raised \$393.82. This church is now free from debt. Every leading man and his wife paid \$12 and several widows paid \$6 and 7. We shall never forget the loyal way in which Dr. P. McDonald and his forces stood by us. They raised \$15.53, Devotte Houston, \$5; J. R. Carter, R. C. Calhoun, W. W. Brown, \$6.50; E. F. C. Forrester, \$5; L. B. Woodward, \$5.35; Smith, Haynes, \$5.50; Will Gilbert, \$5; Marie Rodgers, \$5 and T. P. Pitt. The pastor, \$5. There will be a reception to the workers soon. Tom Peterson is very thankful to his white friends for donations. W. Hartley Jackson, Pastor.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, etc.

HOME GUARDS TAKE BRAZOS CO. CENSUS

At a meeting of the home guards of Brazos county Saturday afternoon, arrangements were made for taking a complete census of Brazos county, the work to be done by members of the guard.

The lieutenants of the rural precincts were instructed to call meetings at once, divide their precincts and appoint workers in the different subdivisions. Some of these meetings were held yesterday and others this morning. It is proposed to have the work completed and all reports in by Thursday.

The census will be for the use of the county council of defense and other war activities.

LUKE PALERMO INJURED.

From Monday's Daily Eagle
Luke Palermo suffered a broken leg in an auto accident on the Hearne road near Short Tap yesterday. His machine, a Dodge, turned over with him and party, but none of the others suffered anything but slight bruises. He was brought to his home in Bryan and is resting easy today.

Announcements.

The Eagle is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held July 27th, 1918.

For Congress, Sixth District
HON. RUFUS HARDY
of Corsicana, Texas.
HON. E. A. DECHERD,
of Franklin, Texas.

For Senator Twelfth District,
R. L. WILLIFORD,
Fairfield, Texas.
N. P. HOUX
of Mexia

Representative 22nd District.
DR. OSCAR DAVIS,
of Grimes County.

For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals.
O. S. LATTIMORE

For Judge 85th Judicial District,
H. S. MOREHEAD,
of Robertson County.
W. C. DAVIS,
of Brazos County.

For Sheriff.
LEONARD E. MOREHEAD.
T. C. NUNN.
JOHN D. CONLEE.

For Tax Assessor.
JIM DARWIN.
JULIUS M. BARRON.

For Tax Collector.
ROY HUDSPETH
County Clerk,
HORACE O. FERGUSON.

County Treasurer
W. W. GAINER
A. A. DEAN.
TOM E. TAYLOR.

County Attorney.
J. G. MINKERT.
O. F. CHASTAIN.

Commissioner Precinct No. 1
J. M. ATKINS.
E. D. CARLL.
FLETCHER H. POOL.

For Commissioner.
JOHN SABO, Precinct No. 2.
GEORGE P. EDGE.

Commissioner Precinct 3,
CHARLES DISTEFANO.

For Justice of Peace,
Precinct No. 4,
C. L. MCCOY.

For Commissioner,
Precinct No. 4,
C. A. BUCHANAN.
W. G. REYNOLDS,

WOMEN TAKE PROMINENT PART IN HOBBY MEETING

Mrs M. W. Sims Introduced Governor Hobby to a Large Audience in the Colonial Theatre Last Night--Governor Gave a Good Account of His Stewardship.

From Tuesday's Daily Eagle
For the first time in Bryan women took an active part in a political meeting of statewide significance. Governor Hobby spoke in the Colonial theater last night and on the stage were about as many women as men and the audience was made up of about equal proportions of both sexes. The governor was introduced by a woman, Mrs. M. W. Sims, and it was pointed out by her and the governor that at this particular time the women who are left behind to look after affairs should be privileged to vote.

Governor Hobby arrived by auto about 8 o'clock, having come overland from Hearne accompanied by Mrs. Hobby, Adjutant General Hurley, Captain Lowe and pilot E. H. Astin. He was originally scheduled to have come by train to the college, but when the speaking was arranged at the eleventh hour and the weather was so delightful for autoing it was decided to change the program. After the speaking the governor and party were taken to the college where they attended the final ball and met the college contingent.

On the stage were Hon. W. C. Davis, Mrs. M. W. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Boatwright, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fountain, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall, Mrs. W. G. Taliaferro, Major and Mrs. L. L. McInnis, H. L. McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Lawrence, Mrs. D. F. Dansby, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Batte, Mrs. A. J. Buchanan, A. B. O'Flaherty.

In introducing Mrs. Sims, Mr. Davis brought applause when he said, "It is a pleasure to have with us the present and the future governor of Texas." He described the governor as a man who has the courage of his convictions, resulting in giving the army the ten-mile zone. He reasoned that if prohibition is good for the soldiers it ought to be a good thing for the civilians, and hence we have statewide prohibition. As a crowning climax to his record he gave the women the right of suffrage in party primaries.

Mrs. Sims in introducing the governor, stated that she had been highly honored in having been made chairman of the Women's Hobby club of Brazos county. "And if I fail to carry Brazos county for Governor Hobby it will be the first time I have failed in any undertaking. Every woman should make it her special duty to vote for Governor Hobby in July for if we do not we will have Jim Ferguson."

Governor Hobby said he would be glad to come to Brazos county under any conditions. Brazos county makes up in quality what it lacks in quantity. It is the home of education in Texas. "I look upon Brazos county as the heart of Texas, throbbing for that which is good for our country and our state."

Speaking of having come into the office of governor under adverse conditions, with disorder and uncertainty in every department and the doors of the university seemingly about to close, he said, "I feel that I came in a storm, hit the tail of a cyclone and have been riding a hurricane ever since, but I feel that on the 27th of July there will be a tidal wave that will sweep away the opponents of democracy and carry them into the Gulf of Mexico." This drew tremendous applause.

Declaring that more had been accomplished in the past eight months, during his occupancy of the governor's chair, than in years before, he recited what had been accomplished. In these times of war government for the nation and the state is more trying than at any other time. The government of Texas is a more serious proposition than in any other state of the union. Texas produces a fourth of the material used for making cloth, is the leading state in rice, corn, wheat, feed stuffs and live stock—food products that go to feed the armies. Texas has the longest coast

line of any state in the Union, and the longest international boundary, this presenting the only opportunity for the entrance into this country of the Germans to plunder, pillage and murder as they have done in Belgium and France. Our state has more troops in training than any other state, having one-seventh to one-eighth of the entire army.

"I want to see a Texas brigade made up of Texans with broad brimmed hats, led by a Texas general, march right in and capture the palace in Berlin, plant old glory above it and plant the kaiser beneath it. While I am governor I shall do everything possible on land and sea, in the air and under the sea for the successful prosecution of the war."

He recounted the work of the special session of the legislature which he declared had a record for service not equaled by any other session in its history. He told of the prohibition laws that settled a question which had split the state for the past ten years or more, of the passage of laws for the moral protection and the health of the men of the camps. As to prohibition he declared the people wanted it, 90 or 95 per cent of them having voted for local option. He believed it a proper measure for the conserving of foodstuffs of the state.

"On the 26th of next month, less than 30 days hence, it will be against the law to sell liquor within the broad confines of this state," he said, and was loudly applauded. "The liquor interests have criticised me for this and declared I was playing politics. If I conform to the will of the people themselves are playing politics, then I will continue to play politics for all time," he declared, and was again loudly applauded. "I would rather approve a law for the purity and betterment of the state than be governor of all 48 states," he said.

He said that the state, to help the United States government, had invested \$5,000,000 in federal securities, the interest on which amounts to about \$1000 a day, "and I want to ask you if that isn't better than putting the money in the Temple State bank and letting the bank draw the interest?"

He referred briefly to the disloyalty law and the law prohibiting the teaching of German or any other foreign language in the lower grades, the law requiring that women employees shall have healthful and moral surroundings and then he launched into a discussion of the equal suffrage law, which he characterized as the crowning achievement of his administration. There is no more appropriate time for this than now, when the men of the army and navy are prohibited from voting in Texas, but who are fighting for the liberty of the world. Who better can represent them at the polls than their mothers, sisters and wives? "Nothing would give me greater satisfaction next January than to know that I got my commission from the men and women, both, of Texas," he declared.

"Experience has taught us," he said, "that war and experience come together. I have spoken of war, and now I will tell you of the pestilence."

He read from Ferguson's Forum the statement that the autocracy of the university of Texas is worse than that of the Germans, and declared that no university, no college anywhere can be worse than that of the Hun. "I ask you if it is as important to overthrow any school anywhere as it is to overthrow the kaiser?"

He launched into a discussion of Ferguson's official record, saying he would not engage in personalities and confine himself to that record. He then went on to show that Ferguson had borrowed, according to the record, \$170,000 from the Temple State bank, whereas all by law he could borrow was \$37,500. The borrowings of the governor were based on the amount of state money he deposited amounting in the aggregate to \$750,000, which was done in violation of law that required state monies to be deposited across the hall in the office of the state treasury. "As long as I am governor state money will be deposited across the hall," said Mr. Hobby.

Ferguson, he said, had been three times tried and three times found guilty of misapplication and misappropriation of public funds.

Discussion of the university of Texas, he said, is not an issue in this campaign, but is merely camouflage. The question is whether the board of directors shall do as they are required by law to do, conduct the affairs of the university, or whether the governor shall do that. It is a dangerous principle and practice and would if permitted to go on, come home to the people of Brazos county as it has to the people of Travis county. "If any governor should have a grudge against A. and M. college here, the blow would be struck in the same way and in the same fashion," he declared.

Relative to the dismissal of the indictments in the Travis district court on the technical point that the offense, if any, was committed in Bell county, the governor said that Bell county is still in Texas and that the prosecution may be resumed. He referred to the statement that Ferguson had called him a weakling and declared, "God gave me the power to tell the difference between my money and that of the people of Texas, which, up to eight months ago, was a rare gift in the office of the governor of Texas."

Relative to the \$150,000 which Ferguson admitted having received in cash from a mysterious source which he refused to divulge, the governor



W. P. Hobby, Governor of Texas.

said that at Mount Pleasant Ferguson declared that "the source of from whence that money came is written in blood." "I promise to tell where every dollar comes from that comes into my possession," said the governor, "any time, anywhere and to anybody."

Relative to the charge that he is a weakling, the governor made the point that Ferguson in the same breath declares that he, Hobby, controlled the legislature and influenced it to bring about his downfall. Ferguson was then governor of Texas and Hobby was lieutenant governor. If, as lieutenant governor, he had more influence with the legislature than did the governor, he thought the people ought to be able to readily choose as to which is the greater weakling.

His educational program begins with the lowest grade and extends to the highest degree. He believes education from the bottom to the top should be fostered and offered a proposition along that line. He wants to make it possible for every school to have six to nine months sessions every year. If any school district will vote the limit of taxation and finds it has not sufficient funds to run the school six or nine months, as they may desire, the state would have funds to help them out. When it comes to higher education in Texas he wants the best A. and M., the best university, the best college of industrial arts and the best normals in the world.

The governor enlarged somewhat on his land scheme to enable poor men to purchase land with state and federal aid.

He promised the sort of business administration that would give the people the profits and not the individual.

He promised to reduce unnecessary offices and boards and other expenses, that the state may be better enabled to take part in the war.

He stands for a continuation of the highway improvements of the state, as war measures.

Mrs. Sims announced that today a meeting would be held by the women for the formation of a Hobby club.

HOBBY'S MCKINNEY ADDRESS.
Taking advantage of the fact that Governor William Pettus Hobby will be here to deliver the diplomas to the graduates of A. and M. college, the Brazos County Hobby club extended him an invitation to deliver an address here, and he will speak tonight in the Colonial theatre at 8:30 o'clock. The club extends a special invitation to the ladies and promises that the electric fans will be turned on early and the opera house otherwise made thoroughly comfortable.

The campaign is warming up, notwithstanding the opinion of many that James E. Ferguson could not be seated were he to receive the majority of the votes cast. The real issues of the campaign, as set forth by Governor Hobby in his opening address, delivered at McKinney, May 11, are thus summarized:

"My boss: The people of Texas. "I am willing to stand or fall on my record."

"I have adhered rigidly to my promises and pledges."

"The winning of this great war is paramount."

"Liquor has been banished from Texas by the army camp zone and statutory statewide laws. I am still in favor of submitting the question to a vote on a constitutional prohibition amendment."

"The recent legislature completed in 30 days a program unequalled by any state in the Union to win the war and to carry out the people's will which had heretofore been throttled in Texas."

106 MERIT AWARDS GIVEN BY GOVERNOR TO A. & M. STUDENTS

From Tuesday's Daily Eagle
At the concluding program of the 42nd annual commencement of A. and M. college this morning 50 diplomas, 16 certificates for the completion of special two-year courses, and 40 honor war certificates for seniors who enlisted in the military service too early in the current year to permit the completion of the work for their diplomas were presented by Governor W. P. Hobby. Practically the whole of the senior class of 87 original members are either already in the service or will enter it immediately upon their graduation with the exception of two members who are not yet of age and can not enter the officers' training camp for that reason.

The six honor graduates who have been given special recommendation to the adjutant general of the United States army by Colonel C. J. Crane, commandant, because of their special proficiency in military matters are N. E. Rigney and J. H. Melton of Leonard, L. E. Priester of Richmond, J. L. Hudgins of Houston, J. B. Miller of Bon Franklin and C. M. Copeland of Graham.

In reviewing briefly the work of the year that closed today President Bizzell pointed out that the enrollment for the regular term had been 1154, which, with the attendance upon the summer session of 1122, makes a grand total attendance for the year of 2276. Of the original enrollment for the current year 422 students withdrew, most of them being from the upper classes and these dropped out of school largely for the purpose of entering the military service. The college is doing a large work in training soldiers along special lines without neglecting its regular work. There are more than 1000 soldiers in training here now and before the summer is over 3000 will have been given special technical courses here.

New buildings constructed at the college during the year are valued at approximately \$500,000. These include Guion hall, the new chapel and assembly hall, Francis hall, the new home of the school of veterinary medicine, named for Dr. M. Francis, dean of that school; the experiment station building, the steam and power plant, Bizzell hall, a modern dormitory, and the anti-hog cholera serum laboratory, where serums that will prevent hog cholera are manufactured for the use of the farmers of Texas.

The following degrees were conferred: Master of science—F. F. Kan, Canton, China; H. H. Lawle and N. E. Winters, College Station. Bachelor of science—D. E. Andrews, C. T. Boyd, A. D. Carson, R. D. Crawford, E. K. Flach, M. H. Ford, J. K. Haas, T. E. Hagan, A. Hensarling, J. W. Hockaday, J. L. Hugins, J. W. Kingswell, W. H. Lawnce, R. C. Lefell, J. B. McKnight, S. W. Martin, J. H. Melton, H. S. Myers, E. T. Nagle, E. C. Nash, J. M. Phillips, E. M. Regenbrecht, E. E. Rigney, W. E. von Rosenberg, I. Schiller, V. J. Shiner, J. L. Starnes, G. R. Warren, C. Wipprecht.

Bachelor of science in architectural engineering—W. H. Watkins.

Bachelor of science in chemical engineering—W. W. Bates.

Bachelor of science in civil engineering—D. E. Baker, L. B. Bone, W. Kenan, D. E. Martin, G. B. Morgan, O. L. Snow.

Bachelor of science in electrical engineering—F. A. Cooper, C. M. Copeland, T. G. Lipscomb, A. R. McLean, L. E. Priester, E. G. Sexauer, J. B. Miller.

Bachelor of science in mechanical engineering—C. G. Peira and M. A. Ross.

Bachelor of science in textile engineering—A. N. Sanders.

Two-year course in agriculture—E. C. Andrews, P. F. Breiden, W. R. Foster, A. Fuchs, W. A. Goeth, D. G. Pereira, H. M. Safford, G. L. Simmonds, B. L. Smith.

Two-year course in engineering—G. S. Randle.

Two-year course for electricians—C. M. Boren, J. J. Stephenson, A. M. Wellenmann.

Two-year course in textile engineering—A. Hughes, D. J. Japhet, W. M. Sparks.

Honor war certificates to students who entered war service before completing degrees:

Senior agriculture—Alfred Herman Alex, Hardy Moulton Benson, Guy Manville Bittle, Roy Allen Brewer, Frank Caldwell Brunnemann, Lester Holman Carnahan, Norman G. Crocker, Thomas Jefferson Davis, Louis Charles Doney, Jr., John Guy Ervin, Clifford Freeman, Carlos Philip Timothy Griesbeck, Sam Tucka Hurt, John Benjamin Rex Leay, Benjamin Franklin Looney, John Clyde McKimney, William Wortham Maxwell, Fritz William Mogford, Dudley Spencer Moore, Jack Moncreux Norment, Claude Albert Nussbaum, J. H. Smilie, Arthur Lee Smith, P. L. Sneed, Jr., Shelby Grant Tarkington.

Senior architecture—Jacob Born.

Civil engineering—George Dunlap Anderson, Clarence Camille Braden, Coxey Evans, Joe William Grace, Thomas James Kelly, Harry Clayton Knickerbocker, Otto Starker, James Knox Walker, James Worth Wilkins.

Electrical engineering—Arthur Max Reisman, Louis Thomas Tighe.

Mechanical engineering—Felix Elbert Whitley.

Textile engineering—Aree Kimbel, Champ Lee Taliaferro, Jr.

Governor W. P. Hobby, who delivered the diplomas to those of the class who are still on the campus, delivered an address prior thereto. He expressed sincere pleasure in being able to perform this function because it marks an advancement in the lives of the young men. In his opening remarks he said he always felt inspired to give advice to a graduating class, but forever hesitated because the girls

DR. WEAVER'S FINAL SERVICE BROUGHT OUT LARGE CONGREGATION

From Monday's Daily Eagle
Despite the unusual attractions at A. and M. college and the closing of the great revival at the Methodist church there was a large congregation present to hear the final sermon of Dr. M. E. Weaver as pastor of the First Baptist church. Friends were in attendance from as far south as Waller and as far east as Madisonville.

After some pleasant reminiscences as pastor of the church he admonished the church to stand true to the Baptist principles of democracy for which the allies are today contending and for which many of our faithful fathers died. He said autocracy and curtailment are as bad in religion as in politics and should be condemned as much in one as in the other.

The text used for the occasion was taken from Ephesians 5:27, and the subject was "The Glorious Church." It was stated by the pastor that the object in preaching on this subject was not so much to speak of the peculiar doctrines of the Baptist faith as to hold up and exhibit the ideal church, the hope and aspiration of every true believer.

He said in part: "The church, the bride of Christ, is a glorious church in its origin, originating in the mind of God, the father, in the beginning of the race and built by Christ himself and propagated by the apostles, early disciples and men of God down to the present day."

"It is glorious in its offices and ordinances. The scriptural offices are: just two, viz: pastor and deacons. The pastor otherwise spoken of as overseer, under-shepherd and angel, all endearing terms, and the deacon, what a glorious life of service is his. His reward is spoken of in these words: 'For they that have used the office of a deacon will purchase to themselves a good degree and great boldness in the faith, which is in Christ Jesus.' The ordinances are glorious in their beauty and solemnity. Dead to the world of sin and shame and alive to walk in the master's foot prints with an ordinance to keep fresh in our memory his broken body and spilt blood."

"Finally the church is glorious in its mission. This is the unselfish service of winning the lost to Jesus and to a glorious Christian life. Not only are men to be won to Christ but they are to be won to the church and to her sacred service as well."

The pastor closed with a touching incident in which a small boy in Missouri did his best to save his little brother who fell through the ice and was finally drowned in spite of all the older brother could do to save him. At the funeral service the little fellow, still weak and helpless from exhaustion and exposure, asked to see his brother and as he held his face he said, "Brother, I loved you, brother, I wanted you to live, I loved to play with you; brother, I tried to save you, I did my best to save."

When we come at last to the great judgment day and see the lost grooping down to hell if we can say, "Neighbor, I tried to save you, I did my best to save you."

There was scarcely a dry eye when the service closed. Two came forward and united with the church for baptism at the close of the service.

It was indeed an inspiring service and an occasion long to be remembered by the people of Bryan.

KILLS TEXAS LEAGUE.
(By Associated Press)
Dallas, May 23.—A poll of Texas baseball clubs this morning shows that no club will have even a nucleus of a baseball team if the men of draft age are barred from playing after July 1.

don't need it and the boys won't take it.

"I am glad beyond expression to meet the cadets on this occasion, and after seeing them in action I feel that that is necessary is for General Pershing to hold the Hindenburg line until they get there," he said.

He paid a compliment to Senator "Bob" Astin, who was a member of the senate over which the governor presided.

Referring to the probability of these young men eventually landing in the fighting lines in France, he said, "How much sweeter it is to die in a far away foreign land than to live under the domination of the German kaiser."

An interesting point was made by the governor in pointing out an instance of what he thinks may have been providential preparedness. The land grant colleges were authorized by congress during the war between the states. Since then they have grown and prospered, and have turned out soldier material and intelligent farmers whose products now go to support the soldiers and who have responded to the nation's call for more food by producing more food.

Adjutant General Hurley, who was on the platform, was called upon by President Bizzell to speak, and made a strong address. After complimenting Senator Astin for the perpetual fight he made for A. and M. and how he converted him, the general said, "I never could understand why I wanted to put another A. and M. college in West Texas, where the soil is so poor that when they bury a man they have to put a sack of fertilizer in his grave to enable him to rise on judgment day."

The war has demonstrated that the man with the diploma is of more value to his country than those without it, notwithstanding we are accused of going hog wild over higher education.

For Indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness
Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Parke, Davis & Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic.

1963 A. AND M. MEN IN MILITARY SERVICE OF THEIR COUNTRY

When the service flag of A. and M. college was raised as the chief feature of alumni day at the 42nd annual commencement the statement was made that a total of 1963 A. and M. men in the military service of the country are definitely accounted for, with the prospect that the number actually in the service is considerably beyond that figure. This list includes 648 graduates and 1315 former students who did not graduate. The A. and M. service flag is the largest in the south and the number of men with the colors is rapidly increasing.

R. J. Potts of Waco, retiring president of the Alumni association, made the principal address at the flag raising, his remarks being supplemented by Judge John L. Guion, president of the board of directors, and Dr. W. B. Bizzell, president of the college.

At the business session of the Alumni Association, Judge Charles F. Rogan of Austin, '79, the first student to register at A. and M. when it was founded, was elected president for the ensuing year, while the other officers include Gus Newton, '98, Thorndale, first vice president; J. L. Sneed, '95, Dallas, second vice president; Jim Dunn, '78, Benchley, third vice president, and W. L. Stangel, '15, College Station, secretary-treasurer.

As a special mark of appreciation of the members of the class of 1917 and 1918, who left college prior to graduation in order to enter the military service, they were voted graduates of the college, in the interpretation of that term by the Alumni association and elected to membership in the association.

WITH BRAZOS BOYS AROUND CAMP TRAVIS

Company G, 360th Infantry, Camp Travis, Tex., May 17.—Saturday, May 11, company G marched to 90th division target range, Camp Bullis, near Leon Springs. The 21-mile march was made in fine style in seven hours and not a man from company G dropped out.

Dr. R. H. Harrison, Dr. S. C. Richardson and Bill Roman of Bryan, attending the medical convention in San Antonio, were pleasant visitors Wednesday, but found that most of the Bryan boys were at the range.

Sergeants John T. Hanway, Jr., and Hiram T. Downard of Bryan were ordered in from the range Tuesday morning to receive and start the recruits in the way they should go.

Company G has received about 100 recruits since Tuesday morning from the 165th depot brigade. Among them are a number of boys from Bryan and the vicinity of Bryan. Among these are Aaron Hall of the Steep Hollow community, Peter J. Seasta of the Cotton Wood community, Isaac B. Sawyer of the Steep Hollow community and Andrew Ruffino from Steele's Store near Bryan.

Sergeant John S. Caldwell has reported to the fourth officers' training camp and is now wearing a red and white hatered and starting all over where he began nine months ago, but he will be returning our salutes four months from now.

RECORD SPUD GROWTH.

(By Associated Press)
Brownsville, May 28.—What is believed to be a record in the production of potatoes on ground which has not been fertilized has been made on land owned by William H. Putegnat, of Brownsville. Four of 30 acres of potatoes located on the river two miles from Brownsville have been harvested and the production on two of these was 240 bushels to the acre, of which record will be approximately throughout the patch. Seventy-five bushels an acre has been considered a good yield for potatoes throughout this section. The record made by Putegnat never has been equalled in the Rio Grande valley. The land on which his crop is being raised is no different from land along the river near Brownsville.

CADET AVIATOR KILLED.

(By Associated Press)
San Antonio, May 28.—Cadet Paul Currie of Minneapolis was killed by an aeroplane fall Monday night.

DRAFT ACT VIOLATIONS.

(By Associated Press)
Dallas, May 28.—Three indictments charging violation of the selective service act were returned by the federal grand jury.

LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN

Make this beauty lotion cheaply for your face, neck, arms and hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in. Then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

DON'T SCOLD, MOTHER THE CROSS CHILD IS BILIOUS, FEVERISH

Look at tongue! If coated, clean little stomach, liver, bowels.

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, indigestion, diarrhea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

LIKE AN ELECTRIC BUTTON ON TOES

Tells why a corn is so painful and says cutting makes them grow.

Press an electric button and you form a contact with a live wire which rings the bell. When your shoes press against your corn it pushes its sharp roots down upon a sensitive nerve and you get a shock of pain.

Instead of trimming your corns, which merely makes them grow, just step into any drug store and ask for a quart of an ounce of freezeone. This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. A few drops applied directly upon a tender, aching corn stops the corn shrivels up so it lifts right out, root and all, without pain. This drug freezeone is harmless and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. Adv.

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Ukraine Peasants Are Developing Opposition to German Rule Over There

INTERNED GERMANS WORK OR FIGHT

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 28.—Provost Marshal General Crowder's work or fight order has been applied to interned enemy aliens by the government. Many Germans now ply the rake and hoe and help raise food for the soldiers.

NEGRO LYNCHED.
(By Associated Press)
Beaumont, May 28.—Kirby Cottabee, a negro, was lynched last night at Woodville. He is charged with having criminally assaulted a white girl at Woodville.

(By Associated Press)
Moscow, May 28.—Opposition by the peasants of Ukraine against the Germans is extending rapidly. They are firing the forests, destroying property, hindering the work of Germans in trying to commandeer food. The Germans forced to send additional troops to stop rioting and are using artillery against them.

GERMANS BREAK ARMISTICE.
Moscow, May 28.—Although peace negotiations between Russia and Ukraine have now begun at Kiev, the Germans have broken the armistice on Voronezh front, occupying the town of Valuita after four days' fighting.

RAIDERS WERE RAIDED.
With American Army in France, May 28.—German raiding troops attacked the Americans in the Lunville sector this morning. Casualties were inflicted on the raiders.

AGED FRENCH WOMEN ATTEND THE GRAVES OF AMERICAN DEAD

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 28.—Aged French women in the rear of the American sector in Picardy asked and obtained permission to take care of the graves of American soldiers. This comes from peasant women who have been robbed of their husbands in the war.

TEN STEEL SHIPS FINISHED LAST WEEK

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 28.—Ten steel vessels totalling about 64,000 tons were completed for the shipping board during the week ending May 25.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

REGISTRATION DAY REGULATIONS ARE IN HANDS LOCAL BOARD

Several copies of registration regulations No. 2 have been received from Provost Marshal General Crowder by the local exemption board, which will do the registration work for the young men who have come of age since June 5. Those whose birthday falls on June 5 this year will be required to register, also. The hours of registration are set forth as from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. Chief Clerk Griffin is anxious that those who may be called upon to act as assistants study the regulations, be careful to plainly write the full names and other details called for in the registration cards and sign every card themselves. The mode of procedure is the same as last year, in a general way, differing in some details. The local numbers assigned last year were obtained by arranging the names in alphabetical order, but this is distinctly provided against this year, and it appears from reading this regulation that the cards are to be shuffled, numbered in the order they come up and entered in that way. The impression is left that the order number will be determined by some sort of lottery, as was done a year ago.

The local board received a number of communications this morning from Major Townes in charge of the selective draft law enforcement in this state, who advised that upon instructions from General Crowder farmers who have been given temporary deferred classification for the purpose of attending to their crops, are apt to be called where they are in class I. The information in brief is that if the call for class I men exhausts the supply with the exception of these excused farmers, the local board is to take the farmers in class I, using judgment in the selection to work as little hardship as possible, choosing those who can best be spared. In other words the local board is expected to send its full quotas whenever called upon until class I shall have been fully exhausted.

HARRY CRENSHAW AND THE S. M. U. ANNUAL.

The 1918 Rotunda came out Tuesday. It is by far the best Rotunda that has been put out so far in the history of S. M. U. The color scheme throughout the book is blue and the keynote of the whole publication is that of patriotism. One of the chief strong points of this year's Rotunda is the fact that it is up to date in every particular. Though the material has been in the hands of the printer for some time, those who read proof changed anything that was necessary to bring the book as nearly up to date as possible, and inserted many new things.

One of the chief attractions of the book is the pictures of the campus which are printed on tint blocks giving a very pleasing effect. The design and pictures of the popularities are printed on pebbled paper which adds much to their attractiveness. The originalities are unusually good largely on account of the cartoons by Paul Conner and Harry Crenshaw.

Paul Martin and Reece Pratt are due a great deal of credit for the annual they have put out this year. It has been a strenuous year, and they have worked under unusual difficulties. Paul Martin had to take up the work of editor when Linus Glanville left it when he went into service. He had only the plans to go by, and lacked any definite start on the real work. But he threw himself into his work and devoted all his time to it until the book came out.

Reece Pratt with his able assistant, Gus Ford, has managed the business end of the book with exceptional success. But there is one other to whom the success of the annual is in a very great measure indeed is due. Harry Crenshaw has worked hard and faithfully all year on the book. Though he is a freshman, he has shown that he has unusual ability along such lines. He has done even more than his share of the work, if anything. The rest of the staff, too, deserve mention for their work, as there is not one of them who has not contributed his share toward making the book the success that it undoubtedly is.—The Campus, Dallas.

AIRPLANE STAMPS.

(By Associated Press)
Austin, May 28.—Regulation postage stamps for sending mail via airplane from Washington to New York have not yet been received in Texas, but postal officials here say they can arrange to have letters so sent if a Texan desires it. Letters would be sent by regular mail to Washington where they would go into the air. Pending arrival of the new stamps, it will be necessary to mark the routing of the mail in ink and an additional charge of 24 cents an ounce would be assessed for the aerial trip.

WHAT ARE HUNS AFTER.

(By Associated Press)
Paris, May 28.—Military opinion is divided as to whether the German drive on the Aisne front is an effort to break through at Soissons and make a dash for Paris by way of Vittel, Coteaux, or is a maneuver for the purpose of concealing an eventual attack against Amiens. The former seems most probable as the German crown prince with the pick of the army is operating in the attacks.

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FIGHTING MEN IN CLASS 1 LESS THAN HAD BEEN EXPECTED

Austin, May 23.—That the number of fighting men in class 1 is below expectations and will barely prove equal to the greatly increased requirements for this year, even when reinforced by the registration of boys becoming 21 is the word received by Major J. C. Townes, in charge of the Texas selective service. The message comes from Provost Marshal General Crowder. This information has been forwarded to local exemption boards with the instruction that they at once begin a rechecking of classifications with a view to finding men who may be advanced to class 1.

"We want every board to re-comb and carefully re-check its deferred classifications with a view of correcting such errors as have been made," says the instruction to local boards. Townes says he believes that most of the changes in classification will be made in connection with industrial and agricultural classes. Saying he did not intend to single out any specific instance, Major Townes said, "I believe the local boards have been too lenient and the district boards also lenient in their classification of railway employees, telephone and telegraph employees, unskilled employees in the oil industry and others."

LIEUT. MILNER TELLS EXPERIENCES IN WAR.

Lieutenant D. B. Milner, son of former President Milner of A. and M. college, was a student here and as such was well known, besides which he has visited the college with his sister frequently since the family returned to Henderson, their home. In a letter to his sister, published in the Rusk County News of recent date, he tells some of his experiences on the battle front in France:

My Dearest Girl—Since I wrote you last I have moved about 20 times and am still moving. I wish I could tell you the names of the towns we go from—or I should say go to, but it always seems to be from. As a rule we don't go to any of the larger towns, but the small ones always have something interesting in them. For instance, this town has a most beautiful chateau. There is also another one in this town that is equally pretty but the setting for this one is not as good. Before the war the one I mentioned first was surrounded by water and that made it more picturesque. The chateau is white and back of it are large, beautiful trees. Ever since the war the place has been used as a hospital; it is in the danger zone and all the people who lived here have gone further inland. The water has been drained and on all sides of the place are strings and strings of barbed wire entanglements. Barbed wire is everywhere as far back of the lines as eight or ten miles.

My coming up in the war zone proper has certainly made me put all my spirit into this war. Put a person in the war zone and let him stay a day and if he does not vow to do all in his power to put the Germans out of existence he is a German himself. For three weeks all I have seen is deserted villages—some all shot to pieces and not habitable, others partly shot and inhabited by soldiers who are acting as support for the front lines. Then there are the towns a little further back that are shelled occasionally, and where a few civilians live and where the rest billets for the soldiers who have come out of the trenches. In the last two classes most of the houses have had all the partitions torn out and war material is kept there and the people live in deep cellars dug for protection against aerial bombardment. Then some houses are intact such as the one we have now, but they are used to billet soldiers in and you can imagine how much care is taken of such places so when the war is over and the people come back they will have to start in anew. Right now there are three officers sitting around here, their equipment thrown all around and nothing organized. Contrast that with the peaceable scene if there had been no war: A good French family in here with the mother sewing, the father smoking his pipe and enjoying his peaceful home, a bunch of pretty children playing and there are always some singing and playing, and every single thing orderly. But the boches have changed all that now and when you do see children around these towns you see them with their little gas masks with them. They go to school and play with the gas masks slung over their shoulders ready for use at any minute. The first time I saw something on that order was one morning when we had just marched into one of these towns and there was a group of about ten small children on their way to school and each one had his little mask with him. I had come back from the trenches and while I was there several wounded men and one dead man were carried through my camp, but I thought nothing of that, but the minute I got the significance of these school children with their masks my blood fairly boiled. The Germans are the best agents the devil ever had, and from now on all my energy is going to be expended in ending their tour of destruction on earth, so they can soon join their real master, the devil, in eternal hell. I would say damn them, but they have already been everlastingly damned. I have always been glad that I got to come over here and now I am a thousand times gladder than I ever before.

We are having some more winter weather now—there is ice on the ground every morning an two days it snowed. However, the trees are all budding and there is a lot of different kind of birds here and they sing nearly all the time—they don't know there is a war going on. There was one that sang outside my dugout in the front line. He would sit on an old stump of a tree that was shot all to pieces by a shell, but it served my little song bird and he was a treasure

DRAFT MEN MUST WORK OR FIGHT AFTER JULY 1

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 23.—Every man of draft age must work or fight after July one, under a drastic amendment to the selective service regulations announced today by Provost Marshal General Crowder. Draft registrants who are not engaged in a useful occupation will be given the choice of a new job or the army. The regulations hold that professional base ball players are not usefully engaged and must get new jobs or join the army.

Gamblers, race track and bucket shop attendants head the list of those to be reached by regulation. It also includes bar tenders, theatre ushers, elevator operators, club and hotel attendants and store clerks.

Deferred classification on account of dependents will be disregarded in applying the new rule. A man may be at the bottom of a class or in class four but if he is within the regulations and refuses to take regular employment he will be given a new number in class one. Local boards are authorized to use discretion only where they find an enforced change of employment would make a hardship on dependants.

Theatrical performers are excepted from the regulations at direction of Secretary Baker who said the people cannot do without all amusement and other amusements could be dispensed with more readily.

Slackers who leave the country to escape the draft will be prosecuted under the selective service Act on their return, Attorney General Gregory announces.

The attorney general stated that it had been brought to his attention that a number of men of draft age have left the country and occasionally others are leaving to evade the military draft service. Temporary residence in other countries does not exempt them from prosecution on their return to this country.

to me up there. I also had a great, big cat that stayed in my dugout with me all the time, so I had no rats or mice in my dugout and I think mine was the only one with that record. At night my cat would patrol No Man's Land but like a good soldier, he would always return to my dugout in the morning.

The colonel of our battalion (we have a lieutenant colonel in command instead of a major) asked me a few days ago if I wanted to be his adjutant; he had just fired his old one, but I did not want it, because straight line duty is what I want. I want to be right up in the front line and not back in some deep dugout when the real fighting begins.

THURSDAY DAY OF PRAYER IN TEXAS

Austin, May 28.—Governor Hobby has issued a proclamation proclaiming Thursday, May 30, as memorial day in Texas for prayer and fasting.

LIMIT OF ABUSE.

Dallas, May 28.—When you tell a person that he or she is "worse than the kaiser" you are guilty of using abusive language under the statutes and city ordinances of Dallas. It was so held recently in police court here when a German-speaking citizen was fined \$10.

The man, it was charged, told a woman that she was worse than Wilhelm. He added other unprintable epithets, but it was averred that when he had likened her to the kaiser he had gone far enough to constitute an offense.

DISTRICT COURT.

H. S. Morehead, Judge.
T. S. Hill vs. H. & T. C. Ry. Co., damages, jury waived, trial before court; judgment for defendant that plaintiff take nothing against defendant and that defendant go hence and recover all costs, etc. Motion for new trial.

E. F. Parks & Co., vs. S. S. Clay, Beck Grain Co. and First National bank of Navasota, suit on check, continued to next term of court.

J. S. Royder vs. W. G. Neely, et al., suit on note, both parties granted leave to amend and case continued on application of plaintiff.

Ex parte Arthur Jones, murder, defendant admitted to bail in the sum of \$1500; case set for June 5, venire of 50 men ordered.

LAMPASAS BOY WINS.

When the several ties in the freshman and sophomore stock judging contest were run off, W. G. Snell of Lampasas won the handsome gold watch offered by the American Hampshire Swine Breeders' association for the highest individual of the freshman class in swine judging. W. P. Southwell of San Antonio won the gold medal offered by J. M. Caldwell & Co., of Bryan for high man in the cattle class, while J. F. Mahan of Gainesville won the gold medal given by the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' association for the high man in the sophomore class in cattle judging.

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Druggists refund money if PAGO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Instantly relieves Itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 50c.

MADRID EPIDEMIC OF DISEASE THAT LAYS LOW EVEN THE KING

(By Associated Press)
Madrid, May 28.—Business life in Madrid is almost paralyzed by an outbreak of a species of la grippe. The exact nature is not known. Theaters are deserted. It is reported that 30 per cent of the people are affected by the strange disease. King Alfonso is believed to be suffering from the disease which he apparently contracted by mingling in the crowds in the palace chapel.

ITALIANS BREAK INTO ENEMY LINES TO DEPTH 750 YARDS

Rome, May 28.—Italians Monday broke into the Austro-German defense at Capo-Sileon, the lower Piave front, to a depth of 750 yards. They captured 433 prisoners.

COTTON MARKET PROBE PROMISED

Washington, May 28.—Investigation of the cotton market in New York and New Orleans will be made immediately by the department of agriculture, Senator Smith, South Carolina, has been advised by Secretary Houston.

300 KILLED IN BOMBED HOSPITALS

London, May 28.—Bonar Law told the lower house of parliament that 300 casualties had been caused by German air men bombing British hospitals in France.

SOUTHWEST DONATES SIXTEEN MILLIONS

St. Louis, May 28.—Available figures here indicate that the southwest-ern division will contribute more than \$16,000,000 to the second Red Cross war fund.

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Racket Store

More Goods For Same Money

Every department in our store is filled full of BARGAINS, not the kind that were bought at regular prices and the regular way. Every Article of merchandise in this store was bought for CASH from the manufacturer and mill ends, at the lowest price for CASH in its original package. When a manufacturer or a jobber has some few lots of goods, too small in quantity to offer in its regular way to the trade, they are always glad to find a buyer that will buy the entire lot, and make a big sacrifice so as to dispose of them for cash. And as our buyers are always on the lookout for such stock, this is why we can always make a price on our goods for less than other retailers. We very often buy goods from the same jobber or manufacturer as our competitor, only we don't buy on time and terms, and as far ahead for future delivery as they do. By waiting our buyer finds good bargains and better bargains always, and that is why our prices and our goods are at a bargain price always, and lower than others.

Notion Department

Just in. new, up-to-date Corsets, short and long waists, quality A-1 and prices cannot be duplicated elsewhere; our prices.....\$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c

Just received 10,000 yards of Embroidery, the best values for the money we had for years; all sizes; Edgings and Insertings, per yard, 15c, 12 1-2c, 10c, 8c, 6 1-4c and 5c.

Children's and Misses' Black Hose, all sizes, in black and white, at 19c, 15c, 12 1-2c and 10c pair.

Children's Fancy Sox, all sizes; special, per pair.....22c

Ladies' Black Hose, a few hundred pairs to suit yet at.....15c, 12 1-2c, 10c

Large variety of Ladies' Silk Hose, in white, black and stripes; big value; per pair.....23c

Men's Fancy Hose, tan, black and white and in all colors; big value; per pair at.....25c, 19c, 15c, 12 1-2c, 10c

Good and large Cotton Towels; special.....15c, 12 1-2c and 10c

Talcum Powder, 1 1-2 and 1-lb. cans, at.....20c and 15c

Small sizes at.....10c

Brass Pins, all kinds, at special, per pack.....2 1-2c and 5c

Toilet Soap, good quality and nicely perfumed, per bar.....10c, 8c, 5c

Face Powder, all kinds and at half price; special, box.....15c, 10c

Big line of Hair Combs; big values at.....25c, 15c and 10c

Hair Brushes, the kind that is good and cheap, at.....35c, 25c, 20c, 15c

Clothing Brushes also at same prices. Children's Parasols, special for the little ones, at.....25c, 15c

Ladies' and Gents' Parasols, assorted kinds and assorted handles; big value today; special.....\$1.25, 95c and 89c

MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT.

Men's Balbriggan Athletic Undershirts, special.....25c

Men's Bleached and Unbleached Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers; special, each.....48c

Big bargain in Men's Union Suits for summer wear, knitted and cross-bar, with shirt inserted; good values at.....69c and 50c

25 dozen Men's Blue Chambray Shirts, assorted sizes; the best on the market for.....69c, 65c, 59c, 50c

Men's White Dress Shirts; value today \$1.25; our price.....75c

Big line of Men's Dress Shirts; big bargains; values at.....89c, 85c, 75c

Men's Peppercorn Shirts and Drawers; today's value \$1.00; special.....85c

Big line of Men's good quality of Apron Overalls; all sizes; big values; per pair.....\$1.25, \$1.00, 85c, 75c, 65c

Boys' Overalls, apron bibs, all sizes, 85c, 75c, 50c pair.

Best value we ever had in Men's Work and Dress Pants, in all styles and colors; this lot goes at, per pair, \$2.98, \$2.50, \$2.25, 12, \$1.65 and \$1.25

Just received, Men's Wash Pants and Cool Cloth Pants; big values at \$1.50 and \$1.25.

Boys' Knee Pants and Wash Pants, assorted sizes for the little fellow and the big boy, at, per pair, \$2.39, \$2.25, \$1.98, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 35c.

Notion Department

Men's, Boys' and Children's Felt and Straw Hats. In Field Hats, big values at 25c, 15c and 10c each. In Felt Hats, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c, 50c and 25c. In Straw Hats, dress shapes, \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c. You'll find the above hats big values and will not last long at these prices.

Boys' Palm Beach Suits, ages 6 to 16 and ages 3 to 8. We bought these goods far below their values. Many among them are Wool Suits. If you want a bargain, call and buy one at \$3.50, \$2.98, \$2.25, \$1.25, 98c and 75c.

Men's Fancy Hose, tan, black and white and in all colors; big value; per pair at.....25c, 19c, 15c, 12 1-2c, 10c

Men's leach Athletic Undershirts; special at.....50c

Shoe Department

The cry now is shoes. Shoes are too high. Quite true, but we have made several large purchases and had to buy them in case lots to make these low prices, finding several manufacturers with more shoes than they needed. Money was what they needed. We then made them an offer and bought for spot cash to sell at these prices:

Ladies' one-strap Leather Slippers; all sizes; special.....79c

Ladies' two-strap White Canvas Slippers with high heels.....\$1.15

Ladies' three-quarter Oxfords, up-to-date, all-leather Oxfords.....\$1.75

Ladies' Patent Leather or Vici Slippers, heel and toe very dressy, at \$2.50

Ladies' "Baby Doll" Slippers; all sizes.....\$1.10

Ladies' High Heel Oxfords, all white, at.....\$1.59

Ladies' High and Low Heel Lace Bootie Shoes, all white, heel and at.....\$2.00

Ladies' Rubber Heel and Sole White Bootie Shoes, all white.....\$2.00

We call your attention to our line of Men's Shoes, in black, tan and white, and tan and white; big values at \$2.75, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.75, \$1.48, \$1.39.

Women's rubber side and rubber heel, black, poplin and all leathers. Just the shoe for home comfort; per pair, \$1.75, \$1.65, \$1.35.

Ladies' new, up-to-date Havana Brown Lace Shoes and Oxfords, high heel; all sizes; values \$5 and \$6; our price, special, per pair.....\$3.75, \$3.25, \$2.25.

Ladies' all White or in White and Tan Leather Trimming Poplin High Lace Booties, new and up-to-date; special, per pair.....\$1.75

\$2.50 Ladies' Vici Kid Lace Oxfords, rubber heels, cushion soles; a very soft and comfortable dress Oxford; all sizes; special, per pair.....\$2.50

Big line of Children's and Misses' White Slippers in Baby Doll and in foot Sandles; white and tans; all sizes; per pair, 75c, 69c, 60c, 50c and 35c.

Big line of Girls' and Children's Slippers, in Baby Doll, Vici Kid, Patent Leather; pretty and new, up-to-date; all sizes; per pair, \$1.10, 98c, 95c, 85c, 75c.

Men's White Shoes with rubber soles.....98c

Shoe Department

Misses' Patent Leather Oxfords, Baby Dolls, in White and in Vici; all sizes, 12 to 2, at \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.10 and \$1.00

Ladies' up-to-date Patent Leather and Vici Kid, in white, black, poplin and in white and tan mixed; big bargains; per pair, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.10, \$1.00 and 79c.

Just received a big, new line of Men's and Boys' Wrk Shoes and Oxfords, in tan and black; the best line and the best values for the money in the city at, per pair, \$3.75, \$3.25, \$2.75, \$2.50, \$2.25, \$2.00 and \$1.75.

25 cases of Men's and Boys' White Tennis Oxfords with black soles; all sizes; per pair.....59c

20 cases of Men's and Boys' all-White Tennis Oxfords with white soles; all sizes; per pair.....79c

Dry Goods Department

5,000 yards Fancy Dress Prints; value today, per yard, 18c; our price 12 1-2c

5,000 yards of assorted colored Chambray; today's value 22c per yard; our price.....15c

Pretty line of Ladies' Shirt Waists, in Voile, Organdie and Lawns; new, up-to-date; going at half value, each, \$1.25, 98c, 75c, 65c, 49c.

A pretty line to select from, such as Fancy Lawns, Voiles, Organdies; new patterns; big values; per yard at 22 1-2c, 17 1-2c, 15c, 12 1-2c and 10c.

New line of Plain White Lawns, Dotted Swiss and Cross-Bar Lawns; big values; per yard.....15c, 12 1-2c, 10c

Percelle, assorted colors; pretty patterns; per yard.....15c and 12 1-2c

Apron Gingham and Dress Gingham, fancy color, good quality; per yard, 22 1-2c, 15c, 12 1-2c

Children's and Misses' White Dresses, trimmed with pretty embroidery and ribbon; pink and blue; ages 6 to 14; big values at \$1.39, \$1.25, \$1.00, 85c, 65c.

Children's Gingham Dresses, 2 to 6 years, assorted colors, 75c, 65c, 50c, 35c.

Girls' Gingham Dresses, pretty spring shades, ages 6 to 14, at \$1.25, 98c, 85c, 65c.

Ladies' Gingham House Dresses, assorted sizes, a bargain for \$1.25, 98c

Just received about 25 dozen Ladies' Sport Suits, assorted colors; Ladies' Fine Figured Lawn Dresses, nicely made, and I assure you they are bargains at \$4.50, \$3.98, \$1.98, \$1.75

Big lot of Ladies' Middy Blouses, new and up-to-date, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, 89c

Ladies' new, up-to-date Skirts, in fancy colors and in white; the best value of the season; all sizes, as well as extra big sizes, at \$1.50, \$1.25, 98c

Ladies' Muslin Undershirts, with wide embroidered flounce and trimmed with pink and blue ribbon, at \$1.00 and 69c.

Millinery Department

All our Ladies, Misses' and Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, Flowers, etc., in this department are being slaughtered and

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31st, 1918, for the State of Texas of 1917, in Brazos County. Reported Under Section 7692, Revised Civil Statutes of 1911.

Total 71.77.
Hall, Allie, Bryan, lot 1, blk. 291. Total \$48.28.
Hale, Nannie B., Bryan, 2-5 acre, blk. 10, Bs 2d. Total \$1.80.
Harris, Laura, Bryan, lot 9, blk. 199. Total \$4.48.
Hasley, Phoebe, Bryan, W half 2, blk. 154. Total \$4.48.
Hick, J. M., Bryan, lot S2 6, 7, blk. 154. Total \$7.32.
Hicks, Kate, Bryan, lots 10, 11, blk 1, Austin. Total \$9.86.
Hickman, J. C., Bryan, lots 1 and 2, blk. 69; lots 14, 15 and 16, blk 1, Aust. Total \$30.75.
Hollingsworth, Isiah, Bryan, lot 5x115, blk 5, Bs 1st. Total \$5.51.
Hollingsworth, Mariah, Bryan, lot 5, blk. 154. Total \$4.48.
Houston, Tom, Bryan, 4 55-100 acres, blk. S. F. A. 9; Bryan, 4 80-100 acres, blk. 2, S. Jackson; Bryan, 2 acres, blk. 3, Bs 3rd. Total \$1.80.
Jackson, Gibbs, abstr. No. 2, orig. grantee Jno. Austin, 3S 1-4 acres. Total \$12.42.
Jackson, Geo., abstr. No. 2, orig. grantee Jno. Austin, 119 acres. Total \$37.76.
Jones, Jas., Bryan, 23 ac. orig. grantee G. O. Lawrence, 67 acres. Total \$8.08.
Johnson, W. C. Sparks, abstr. No. 52, orig. grantee W. C. Estab, 55 acres; abstr. No. 19, orig. grantee T. S. Haynes, 61 acres. Total \$18.70.
Johnston, Willie, Bryan, lot 5x150, S. F. A. 9. Total \$5.51.
Johnson, Mary E., Bryan, lots 6 and 7, blk. 154. Total \$9.97.
Jenkins, Alice, Bryan, SW 2 lot 7, blk. S. Jackson. Total \$5.37.
Johnson, Wm., Bryan, lot 33, 34, blk. 7; Bryan, lots 1 and 2, blk. S. Total \$19.89.
Johnson, T. B. Est., Bryan, lots 1, 2, 3, S. blk. 17; 15 feet of 4, 6, 7, blk. 17. Total \$5.37.
Johnson, Malinda, Bryan, lot 10, blk. 63. Total \$3.58.
Johnson, Hy, Bryan, lot 10, blk. 66. Total \$6.46.
Jordan, Allen, Bryan, lots 25 and 26, blk. 9; Jones, Annie, Bryan, N2 8 and 9, blk. 154. Total \$7.17.
Kinnard, Sarah, Bryan, 2 and 2, blk. 231. Total \$4.48.
King, Ellen, Bryan, lot 10x115, blk. 4, Bs 3rd. Total \$4.48.
Knob, E. W., Bryan, lot 5, blk. 67. Total \$6.28.
Lloyd, Mike, abstr. No. 45, orig. grantee Zedon, 100 acres. Total \$25.00.
Lyons, B. J., abstr. No. 243, orig. grantee W. G. Wilson, 91 1-2 acres, 45 1-4 acres, 10 acres, 23 acres, 23 ac. orig. grantee W. G. Wilson, 63 acres, 70 acres, 74 acres; abstr. No. 243, orig. grantee W. G. Wilson, 24 1-4 acres, 23 ac. orig. grantee A. McMahon, 12 3-4 acres. Total \$37.38.
Laughridge, George, abstr. No. 237, orig. grantee W. Williams, 19 acres. Bryan, lots 9, half S, blk. 183. Total \$11.66.
Lee, Mrs. M. H. Est. abstr. No. 62, orig. grantee J. C. Austin, 14 1-2 acres, Bryan, 3 acres, blk. 7, Bs 3rd. Total \$17.93.
Levey, Isaac, Bryan, lots 6 and 7, blk. 198. Total \$4.48.
Lightfoot, A. Est., Bryan, 3-4 acre, S. F. A. 10. Total \$7.17.
Lights, Estella, Bryan, 3-4 acre, S. F. A. 10. Total \$4.48.
Lindsay, Eva, Bryan, lots 13 and 14, blk. 154. Total \$4.48.
Little, Sam, Bryan, blk. 232. Total \$31.40.
Littleton, R. H., Bryan, lot 1, blk. 222. Total \$4.48.
Love, Wm., Bryan, lot 1A, blk. 8. Total \$7.17.
Maze, Lorn, abstr. No. 27, orig. grantee S. Jones, 2 acres. Total \$18.96.
Moore, Harriett, abstr. No. 63, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, half acre. Total \$2.48.
Murphy, Sylvan, abstr. No. 237, orig. grantee Jno. Williams, 16 acres. Total \$2.48.
Mudville Gin Co., abstr. No. 48, orig. grantee F. Rinz, 1 acre. Total \$20.79.
Minkert, J. G., abstr. No. 63, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 2 acres, 23 ac. orig. grantee J. C. Austin, 23 ac. orig. grantee T. P. McKinney, 40 acres, Bryan, lots 6 to 10, blk. 83, half interest lots 4 and 5, blk. 64. Total \$3.48.
Mason, Lillie, Bryan, lot 50x90, blk. 212. Total \$4.48.
McClary, Hayden, Bryan, lots 1, 2, half 3, blk. 185. Total \$4.48.
May, Abster, Bryan, N2 lots 9 and 10, blk. 129; NE 1-4 lot 5, blk. 129. Total \$3.48.
Mingo, Ras, Bryan, lot 4x115, blk. 4, Bs 1st. Total \$7.30.
Moore, Austin, Bryan, 50x40 lot 4, blk. 182. Total \$4.48.
Moore, Celia, Bryan, lot 1, blk. 182. Total \$4.48.
Morgan, Mary B., Bryan, lots 9 and 10, blk. 151. Total \$10.75.
Morgan, Lee, Bryan, lot 6, blk. 74. Total \$4.48.
McMillan, Mrs. A. J., abstr. No. 176, orig. grantee J. McMillan, 96 acres. Total \$8.15.
McNally, Frank, abstr. No. 51, orig. grantee G. W. Singleton, 26 acres; abstr. No. 31, orig. grantee A. Lee, 12 acres; abstr. No. 12, orig. grantee T. P. McKinney, 20 acres. Total \$20.70.
McCoy, Ella, Bryan, lots 8 and 9, blk. 68. Total \$4.48.
McDonald, Phillips, Bryan, lots 35 and 36, blk. 7, Hall's. Total \$5.37.
McDonald, Mathilda, Bryan, lot 21, blk. 154. Total \$4.48.
McIntosh, Hunter, Bryan, lot 4, blk. 145. Total \$5.51.
McIntosh, Jake, Bryan, lots 6, 7 and 8, blk. 154. Total \$4.48.
Mero, Mittie, abstr. No. 7, orig. grantee C. Burnett, 6 acres. Total \$1.89.
Miller, Geo., Bryan, lots 6 and 7, blk. 184. Total \$6.41.
Nettles, Hy. Est., Bryan, lots 9 and 10, blk. 146. Total \$7.17.
Nichols, John, Bryan, lots 59 and 60, blk. 7, Hall's. Total \$2.58.
Needham, Bob, Bryan, lots 2, blk. 186. Total \$4.48.
Neilon, E. M., Bryan, lot 4 and 6, blk. 66. Total \$8.96.
Nesley, W. G., Wellborn, lots 7 and 8, blk. 3. Total \$9.37.
Nicolas, Beulah, Bryan, lot 6, blk. 46. Total \$7.17.
Nickens, Joe, Bryan, lot 6, Hensarling. Total \$.90.
Nolan, Hannah, Bryan, lot 4 and 6, blk. 95. Total \$4.48.
Oliver, Ed, Bryan, lot 8, blk. 182. Total \$4.62.
Ogden, Lee, Bryan, lot 62x142, blk 9. Total \$3.37.
Opphant, Will, Bryan, 5760 sq. ft. lot 6, Bs 1st; Bryan, par lots 4 and 5, blk. 154. Total \$4.48.
Oliver, Elvessie, Bryan, 2-5 acre, blk. 10, Bs 2nd. Total \$3.63.
Orrell, Ellen, Bryan, lot 8, blk. 124. Total \$3.58.
Onal, Belk, Bryan, lot 8, blk. 67. Total \$2.63.
Orange Gracle, abstr. 27, orig. grantee S. Jones, 2 1-3 acres. Total \$.36.
Pardo, Elmo, abstr. No. 33, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 18 acres. Total \$4.48.
Persons, Geo. W., abstr. No. 12, orig. grantee J. Curtis, Jr., 15 acres. Total \$4.84.
Perford, W. W., abstr. No. 59, orig. grantee T. J. Wootten, 30 acres; abstr. No. 45, orig. grantee Z. Phillips, 35 acres. Total \$4.48.
Rhodes, Nathan, abstr. No. 62, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 5 acres. Total \$7.37.
Roe, William, abstr. No. 65, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 1-2 acres. Total \$2.94.
Robertson, W. H., abstr. No. 45, orig. grantee Z. Phillips, 2 1-2 acres. Total \$3.63.
Royall, Mrs. R. R., abstr. No. 50, orig. grantee J. E. Scott, 64 2-3 acres. Total \$4.48.
Raglan, India, Bryan, lot 50x115, S. F. A. 10. Total \$5.51.
Redlick, Annie, Bryan, lot 10x175, Bs 3rd. Total \$7.17.
Rhodes, J. B., Bryan, lot 10, blk. 57; Bryan, lots 10, 11, 12, blk. 5, Aust. Total \$3.48.
Robertson, Wesley, Bryan, lot 10x150, blk. 4, Bs 1st. Total \$4.48.
Ross, Lucinda, Bryan, lot 37, blk. 7, Hall's. Total \$3.58.
Rush, Will, Bryan, lots 6 and 7, blk. 239. Total \$7.30.
Ryan, Mrs. M. S., abstr. No. 51, orig. grantee G. W. Singleton, 48 acres. Total \$5.03.
Ryland, Mariah, abstr. No. 53, orig. grantee T. P. McKinney, 25 acres. Total \$4.29.
Simiard, Leola, abstr. No. 33, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 1-76 acres. Total \$9.93.
Smetham Athl. Club, abstr. No. 237, orig. grantee Jno. Williams, 2 acres. Total \$7.17.
Smith, J. E., abstr. No. 62, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 2 acres. Total \$12.68.
Starks, Hy, abstr. No. 62, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 10 acres. Total \$11.24.
Stearns, Geo. Est., abstr. No. 62, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 27 acres. Total \$4.48.
Stearns, Wash., abstr. No. 62, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 13 acres. Total \$5.17.
Stephens, Storer, abstr. No. 218, orig. grantee Wm. Dwyer, 60 acres. Total \$5.11.
Stovall, Milly, abstr. No. 62, orig. grantee S. F. Austin, 27 acres. Total \$2.48.
Swancoot, H. E., abstr. No. 88, orig. grantee R. P. Courtland, 990 acres; abstr. No. 88, orig. grantee R. P. Courtland, 129 acres; abstr. No. 194, J. Pruitt, 688 acres; abstr. No. 216, orig. grantee M. Scott, 30 acres; abstr. No. 218, orig. grantee W. M. Dwyer, 673 acres; abstr. No. 66, orig. grantee Y. P. Allsbury, 53 acres; abstr. No. 74, orig. grantee A. Babbie, 100 acres. Total \$11.24.
Swancoot, Brandon, abstr. No. 150, orig. grantee A. D. Lancaster, 350 acres. Total \$11.24.
Swancoot & Vick, abstr. No. 106, orig.

C. G. abt. No. 158, orig.
McLaughlin, 44 acres. Total
C. G. abt. No. 159, orig.
No. 67, orig. grantee J. M.
Acres. Total \$7.92.
A. Sherman, 479 acres. Total
& Boatwright, abt. No. 16,
M. A. Foster, 62 acres. Total
Henry, abt. No. 35, orig.
S. Martin, 43 acres. Total
H. H. J. abt. No. 152, orig.
Laughan, 109 acres. Total
C. abt. No. 63, orig. grantee
1, 19 3-4 acres. Total \$3.96.
J. Austin, abt. No. 23, orig.
D. Stuteville, 102 acres. Total
Mrs. M. P. abt. No. 63, orig.
F. Austin, 10 2-3 acres; Millican,
Total \$2.45.
Alex. Bryan, lot 50x115, blk.
Total \$5.37.
Juthro, Bryan, lots 9, 10, blk.
Tim, Bryan, lots 5, 6, blk. 6,
Total \$1.79.
Geo., Millican, lots 1 to 5,
lots 1, 2, 9, 10, blk. 35. Total
n, Tom, Bryan, 1-5 acre, blk.
Total \$2.69.
Robert, Millican, lot 5, blk. 3,
Wm., Bryan, lots 7, 8, blk. 8,
Total \$4.48.
Co. abt. No. 14, orig. grantee
Hanna, abt. No. 62, orig.
F. Austin, 12 acres. Total
C. abt. No. 45, orig. grantee
1-3 acre. Total \$1.90.
Co. abt. No. 14, orig. grantee
P., 25 acres. Total \$5.17.
J. abt. No. 63, orig. grantee
grantee, 100 acres; Millican, lot 2,
Millican, Bryan, 50x150, S. F. A.
\$3.63.
K. abt. No. 251, orig.
Kenicher, 37 acres. Total \$2.64.
W. S. No. 152, orig.
Laughan, 719 acres. Total
R. abt. No. 23, orig. grantee
50, 60 acres. Total \$3.96.
Lawrence, 16 acres; abt. No.
grantee W. C. Sparks, 49 acres. S.
Verna, Bryan, part blk. 35,
e, Bryan, lots 2, 4, 5, half 6, 7,
Total \$10.75.
Bryan, lot 5, 27, orig.
grantee, 7 1-2 acres. Total \$1.25.
Totie, abt. No. 277, orig.
grantee, 100 acres; Millican, 51 1-2
any, abt. No. 56, orig. grantee
Whitesides, 50 acres. Total
H. B. abt. No. 132, orig.
D. Houston, 60 acres. Total
K. abt. No. 40, orig. grantee
abt. half acre. Total \$1.32.
Nick, abt. No. 62, orig. grantee
in, 15 acres. Total \$10.24.
E. abt. No. 62, orig. grantee
acres, 127 acres. Total \$15.75.
A. T. abt. No. 132, orig.
ston, 100 acres. Total \$6.50.
A. Bryan, 65x140, blk. 4, Es. Is.
Pink, R. Bryan, 1 acre, S. F.
11 x 10.
Bryan, lots 7, 9, 10, blk. 2,
Total \$3.68.
Rose of Sharon, Bryan, 30x75-2,
J. & S. Bryan, 1 acre, blk. 3,
Total \$3.58.
A. abt. No. 5, orig.
H. Barron, 50.2 acres. Total
Mrs. M. P. abt. No. 45, orig.
Phillips, 40 acres. Total \$15.22.
Phillips, abt. No. 40, orig. grantee
100 acres; Millican, 51 1-2 acres.
J. P. Est., abt. No. 245, orig.
ates, 7 3-4 acres. Total
J. W. Est., abt. No. 47, orig.
V. Reed, 10 acres. Total \$2.89.
Ed., abt. No. 13, orig. grantee
on, 82.2 acres. Total \$19.10.
Mack, 100 acres; Miller, 51 1-2
acres, 56 acres. Total \$17.32.
Maureen, Bryan, lot 2, blk. 3,
Total \$3.68.
Nathan, Bryan, lot 2, blk. 103.
Total \$3.68.
Mrs. G. E. abt. No. 43,
ace Wm. Millican, 81 acres; abt.
W. Whitesides, 687 acres. Total
an, 21 acres. Total \$56.76.
E. abt. No. 62, orig. grantee
n, 20 acres. Total \$13.99.
n, D. Ver, 50 acres. Total \$5.28.
y, Rebecca, abt. No. 62, orig.
ates, 7 3-4 acres. Total
J. F. Austin, 1 acre. Total
W. H. abt. No. 13, orig.
Davidson, Total \$5.31.
m, T. J. Bryan, lot 6, blk. 49,
Joe, abt. No. 56, orig. grantee
Whitesides, 40 acres. Total \$10.56.
Annie, abt. No. 7, orig. grantee
100 acres; Millican, 51 1-2 acres.
J. E. abt. No. 157, orig.
McLaughlin, 20 acres; abt.
grantee W. Berryman, 89
Louis, Bryan, lots 17, 18, blk. 2,
lot 19.
Jo, Millican, lot 2, blk. 103. To-
Mrs. Lena B. abt. No. 57, orig.
W. Whitesides, 687 acres. Total
n, Geo. W. abt. No. 62, orig.
F. Austin, 10 acres; abt. No. 62, orig.
S. F. Austin, 50 acres. Total
Lucinda, abt. No. 167, orig.
A. McMahon, 200 acres. Total
Allen, abt. No. 62, orig. grantee
lition, half acre. Total \$2.06.
H. S. R., abt. No. 16, orig.
F. Austin, 2 acres; abt. No. 62,
grantee S. F. Austin, 50 acres. Total
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Eliza, abt. No. 13, orig.
S. Davidson, 37.2 acres. Total
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Wm. Mathis, half acre. Total
Mrs. H. H. abt. No. 133, orig.
A. D. Houston, 148 acres. Total
S. E. Est., No. 250, orig. grantee
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rrera, 10 acres. Total \$1.32.
n, Wm. Dever, 613 7-10 acres. Total
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Wood, W. Z. Est.
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From Monday's Daily Eagle

A warfare greater than the great war now waging is to follow it and that is the fight to make this a Christian world, which it never has been. Rev. Charles M. Sheldon told the young men particularly and the members of a large audience generally in the summary of the baccalaureate ser-

(By Associated Press)

Paris, May 25.—American forces in France will be double the number Secretary Baker recently announced as having been sent here and by the end of 1918 they will be three times larger, said Andre Tardieu, French high commissioner, in a statement to the French people on his arrival from the United States today.

men delivered yesterday morning in the airframe at A. A. M. college. He urged that the young men prepare for the immense task that is to come for the winning of the war by the allies will not end the conflict for right.

In opening his address he said he proposed to speak on some results of a Christian education and as a text used the words, "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart and with all thy soul and with all thy might." This, he said, was the creed of Jesus. Modernizing the definition of Plato he said education is all the powers of a human personality being used for the betterment of the world. Each individual is a personality. There are in all the world no two persons exactly alike, no two faces alike, no two voices alike, no finger prints alike. This he forcibly impressed on his hearers by illustration. Ten years ago, at the request of the governor, he spent a week in the state penitentiary as an inmate to study conditions and report. The first thing they did was to take his finger prints and reduce that to an algebraic equation. Ten years later he called at the prison, new men and strangers to him were in charge and at his request his finger prints were taken and the algebraic equation worked out, the result being the same as ten years before. Thus his personality remained ever the same and there was none other in the world exactly like it. "There is only one of you and there will never be another," he said.

The first result of education is the spirit of humility. We must feel our smallness. This he illustrated with a description of the radium spark, so small it can not be seen without a lens, yet powerful and no man has ever been able to tell what it is. This spark will go on for thousands of years, gradually dying out. If we can not find out what that little tiny spark of radium is," he said, "how much can we learn of the many things in the big world. We must be willing to be taught; we are not truly educated until we are willing to learn."

The second great mark of education is a love of work, anybody can be a student, enter college at one door and go out at another, but nobody can be a scholar until he loves hard work. The great work of life is study. All we need pleasure for is to enable us to work better.

The third great result of a true education is a clean life. He said he had known men who attained high degrees in colleges and universities who had traveled much but were not clean men. He spoke of George Fox and his work and the influence upon him of the dissolute age in which he lived.

"We are coming into a different age. A cleaner age than the world has ever known." The demand is for clean conditions about our military camps, and he declared that in this country and abroad we have conditions of cleanliness of all sorts that can not be duplicated in any army in the world. He complimented Texas on passing the prohibition measures. "Prohibition prohibits in Kansas now and the law is strictly enforced. I go to bed at night and arise in the morning with the resolution that I shall not die until every saloon, every brewery and every distillery shall have been wiped off the earth."

Evidently having lost themselves in close attention to the speaker the audience forgot where it was and liberally applauded this sentiment.

The education, he resumed, is clean manhood and it returns to paganism if it has anything unclean in it.

The fourth result of true education is independence, that kind of independence that leads the individual to step out and do things others will not do. He referred to Fulton and the steamboat, Edison and his many inventions as shining examples. The story of a Kansas girl who got a school in a rundown dilapidated condition and how by the use of her knowledge of geology and botany she aroused the people, was given by way of illustrating this sort of independence.

Another result of true education is the spirit of co-operation. Right now we face opportunities for making a better world, he said. His first pastorate was in a village in Vermont where his church and that of the Methodists were in constant warfare. He inherited the spirit and kept up the war, he and the Methodist minister barely speaking as they passed on the street and each trying to weaken the other. Now, under the effects of the war these churches have been merged into one and there is harmony and true Christian spirit. In a recent issue of the Christian Herald is an interesting article, he said, pointing out 100 different cases of merger of this kind. He expressed strongly his belief in the merger of churches, doing away with some where there are too many and devoting the energies to the spreading of the simple gospel of Jesus Christ. He quoted, "A Christian

is a man who loves people he doesn't like." His son, he said, has gone as pastor to a town of 600 people with four churches, and says he will not stay but Mr. Sheldon remarked that he hoped he would stay until he had effected a satisfactory merger. The boys who will come back from the trenches will demand the Christian religion and they will tell us, "We buried all sorts out there together, let God sort them out." There are 167 different sects in the United States. "If there is one lesson above any other the war is going to teach us it is that of the benefit of getting together." He spoke of the benefits to be derived from the union of forces on the battle front, and declared that a united army can do what no disunited army can.

The truly educated person must carry with him his world citizenship, must learn somehow of the brotherhood of man—men of nations and races are getting closer together as a result of the war, in proof of which he gave several illustrations. We are breaking down old social customs, he said, and went on to show how the nobility in England is unbending and the lower strata of society are working hand in hand with them in this war. "The war is rubbing out distinctions and false barriers between man and man," he said. He advocated an international song and an international flag, and in this connection he said he could not sing a great many of the hymns in his hymn books because he did not agree with their theology. "It would be great to have somebody rise up and write some hymns," he said.

The greatest result of a true education is a true religious life, and here he again quoted his text as the creed of Jesus. "One reason we have this war is because we have not lived up to this creed," he said. For some reasons he regretted the destruction of the famous cathedrals, but he declared their destruction is not so bad. The cathedral towers have been the worst, filled with beggars, want and immorality. His idea is to build them on the ruins of the old buildings for preaching and teaching the simple gospel, "With all their beautiful buildings there has not come out of them the spirit of the master. They have not had the creed of Jesus in their lives. We must have a Christian world in order to make safety for democracy," he declared.

Then, addressing the graduating class particularly he told them that after the war is over they should be prepared to go back and fight again to make the world really Christian. The doors of Europe are open to go and preach the gospel and convert the world to the Protestant ideal. "What can be finer than for you young fellows to go back and fight for the creed of Christ?" he asked. "Be prepared to convert the world for the first time, engaged in the great reconstruction of the hearts of humanity. The world has never tried Christianity except in name."

The airframe was completely filled to hear Rev. Sheldon and large numbers sat in autos just outside. The interest was intense and while he was shaking hands with the graduates whom he was introduced by Registrar Friley, large numbers pushed the way forward to meet him.

The musical program consisted of the old hymns, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," and the doxology and anthem by members of the college glee club, "Awake Up, My Glory," a solo by Mrs. W. W. Craft, "The Toilers" and a quartet, "O, Morning Land," sung by Messrs. Vandervoort, Abic and Stephenson and Mowery. Mr. Charles Friley gave piano selection for the prelude and postlude. The responsive reading was led by President W. B. Bizzell.

On the rostrum were Chairman Guion of Ballinger and H. A. Briebe of Bartlett of the board of directors. Hon. Charles Rogan of the Alumni association, members of the faculty and officers of the college.

Rev. Sheldon is one of the most famous ministers in the United States. He is now and has been for a quarter of a century, pastor of the First Congregational church in Topeka, Kansas and is author of many writings, most widely read being "In His Steps," religious novel that has had a world wide circulation and been translated into 15 languages.

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From Saturday's Daily Eagle
To learn the science of meteorology
and thus be prepared to serve the
United States army in France through
forecasting the weather, 315 specially
selected men from all sections of the
country arrived at A. and M. college
at 8:30 last night in a special train
from Waco, where they had been as

Pending the vacation of some of the other dormitories by the pupils Tuesday night, the new men are being cared for with emergency cots in the school chapel and the college gymnasium.

the meteorological school inasmuch as it is the only one that has been established by the army, so far, and it is understood it is the only one that will be established.

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Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money.

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BUSINESS CLUB HAD ACTIVE YEAR DESPITE DROUTH AND WAR--THINGS WERE DONE

From Friday's Daily Eagle
Nearly \$6000 was handled by the Bryan and Brazos County Commercial association during the year ending April 30, a little over a third of which came from dues, and the remainder from street solicitations for special purposes. Club dues have lately been increased by larger payments, the adoption of the assessment plan of supporting the club and an increased membership, so that street solicitations for small things are not necessary any more.

The annual meeting of the club was held in the Queen theater last night, with about one-tenth of the members on hand, notwithstanding they had been individually advised by letter to be present. The report of the secretary and Chairman McInnis of the finance and membership committee brought out the facts stated above. The meeting was also of unusual importance in that the constitution was changed whereby the directors are increased to 25 and in addition the chairmen of the various war activities and President Bizzell of the college are made ex-officio members. It so happened that most of these were selected to full membership in the board, so that numerically the board does not much exceed the newly created number, 25. The election of officers by the new board will take place Tuesday morning at the first meeting of the directors.

President O. S. Johnson reviewed the work of the year in an interesting summary, enlarging upon the detailed report made by Secretary Eberstadt, and setting forth that the year had been a profitable one for Bryan and Brazos county in spite of war and drouth.

Secretary S. E. Eberstadt submitted a full report of all funds received and disbursed by him from April 30, 1917, to April 30, 1918, inclusive, the main features of which follow:

RECEIPTS.

Cash in hand in City National bank April 30, 1917, \$139.79.
Total membership dues collected for 12 months \$2996.58.

City of Bryan allowance for wagon yard maintenance for 12 months at \$25 per month \$300.

Thirty-eight spaces of advertising sold on trade extension circular at \$5 per space \$190.

Balance from banquet Dec. 12, 1917, in honor state highway commission \$14.50.

Amount subscribed by business men of Bryan to provide entertainment for Brazos county singing convention \$1255.

Funds collected for expense of delegates to Exall Highway convention at Dallas, Nov. 12, 1917, \$104.

Funds collected from business men of Bryan by special committee for work and repairing roads and bridges in Grimes and Madison counties \$914.
Total of all funds received and handled by the association \$5913.87.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Total through regular channels \$3428.57.

Expenses of delegates to Exall Highway convention at Dallas \$104.

Entertainment of Brazos county singing convention \$727.12.

Expended on roads and bridges in Grimes and Madison counties \$794.72.

Total amounts of special funds \$1825.84.

Balance Brazos county singing convention transferred by the board of directors to war activity board \$527.88.

Balance special road and bridge fund \$119.28.

Balance general fund \$212.30.

Total funds in City National bank May 1, 1918, \$5913.87.

The report gave a detailed statement of the expenditures and accounts covering various undertakings of the club.

From May 1, 1917, to Feb. 1, 1918, the club had 146 members, paying monthly dues amounting to \$201.75.

From Feb. 1, 1918, to May 1, 1918, the club had 207 members paying monthly dues amounting to \$407.

From May 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918, directors met in 48 regular meetings and 12 called meetings.

Adjourned two weeks for Christmas holidays and failed to get quorums only twice.

Mr. Eberstadt, after reading his report, thanked President Johnson for efficient co-operation and stated that he was absent only three times from the 60 meetings, being out of town twice and sick once. He also thanked the directors and members and The Eagle, remarking that wherever he had worked before it had been a struggle to get things into the paper, but here they had to fight to keep things out.

Reports of committee chairmen were then called for. J. Webb Howell of the agricultural committee is out of the city and did not leave any written report.

A. M. Waldrop of the educational committee reported that, with one exception, the schools of this vicinity had done particularly well this season. He also took the members into his confidence on a proposition which the committee is pushing that will be a big thing for Bryan.

Major McInnis for the finance and membership committee told the history of the membership campaign, the adoption of the assessment plan, and stated that 90 per cent of those visited merely asked how much they were assessed and accepted the committee's judgment, a few felt they were overcharged and some were found who have no interest in Bryan except to get what they can and give

nothing in return.

Chairman Jim James of the entertainment committee was absent and had no report.

Chairman M. E. Wallace of the city improvement committee was absent and had no report.

Chairman J. D. Martin of the trade extension committee was present and had a written report, which was read by Secretary Eberstadt. Nine thousand circulars, carrying the advertisement of 40 firms in Bryan were mailed last summer and two trade trips followed them. It was found that people wanted to trade in Bryan but were prohibited by the bad condition of many of the roads. Direct results from the advertising were obtainable through the free wagon yard, which was stressed in the advertising, one-third of those who patronized it registering from July 18 to May 1, 1918, being 439, these coming from Iola, Zulch, Beldias, Mesa, North Zulch, Cross, George, Normangee, Macey, Edge, Millican, Kurten, Tabor, Lyons, Dime Box, Wellborn, Zack, Wilcox, New Baden, Caldwell, Keith, Carlos and Wheelock. Mr. Martin closed his report with this recommendation:

"I firmly believe that these trade circulars and trips are of great value and we should by all means put on another such campaign this summer for the fall trade, and reach out in a radius of 50 to 75 miles."

CONSTITUTION ADOPTED.

The constitution was read by Secretary Eberstadt and as he proceeded questions were asked and explanations made, but no opposition developed to the proposed changes. Upon motion it was adopted in its entirety, and the members then proceeded with the election of the new directors under it. Secretary Eberstadt first read the names of the seven chairmen of the standing committees, who are members of the board by reason of this appointment. They are as follows:

NEW DIRECTORS.

Agriculture—J. Webb Howell.
Educational—A. M. Waldrop.
Finance and Membership—R. S. Webb.

Entertainment—George A. Adams.
Trade Extension—S. B. Wilson.
City Development—John C. Vick.
Highways—O. S. Johnson.

Balloting on 36 names submitted by the special committee to secure 18 directors followed, resulting in the selection of the following:

Dr. W. B. Bizzell, W. S. Barron, E. J. Fountain, J. D. Martin, E. E. Talmage, John A. Moore, M. E. Wallace, J. T. Maloney, A. W. Wilkerson, J. L. Edge, E. J. Jenkins, Ed Hall, C. L. Beason, H. C. Fulgham, Tyler Haswell, J. S. Doane, F. L. Henderson, L. L. McInnis.

COTTON MILL PROJECT.

While the tellers were counting the ballots Prof. J. B. Bagley of the textile department of A. and M. college, enlarged upon his brief address, delivered to the directors at a previous meeting, relative to the cotton mill situation in Texas and the possibilities for a plant here. He reported further correspondence with mill machinery men, brokers and superintendents, and made two definite propositions. One was that to buy a site, erect buildings, including cottages for mill workers, equip with machinery and so on and leave an operating capital of about \$200,000, the cost would be about \$60 to \$65 per spindle, or a total of around \$300,000 for a 5000-spindle mill, which is the least he would recommend for a duck mill. The second point he made was that a superintendent should be employed who is familiar with Texas textile manufacturing conditions. Profits in mills are huge now, and while the cost of putting in a mill now is double what it was before the war started, he believed that with a continuance of present profits it would pay for itself in three years. The payroll at present would be about \$1000 a week.

Dean J. C. Nagle was called upon and stated that he has owned stock in several mills, most of which in ordinary times have paid 6 to 8 per cent, while one of them was almost a failure. He had received dividends on some of his stock as high as 15 per cent, and the values of his stock had been increased.

City Manager Greer was called for and told of the work of the commission government in Bryan, estimating that the city is being run at 50 per cent of the cost under the council form because there is somebody on the job all the time to look after details.

After the report of the tellers the meeting adjourned.

NORMAL COMMENCEMENT.

(By Associated Press)
Huntsville, Tex., May 29.—The annual commencement exercises of the Sam Houston Normal Institute here will begin Thursday, May 30, when the pupils of the training school will present the musical "Mother Goose" play, "Peggy's Dream."

A patriotic pageant depicting the history of Texas will be the feature of the biennial senior class and undergraduate play Friday evening. Other high points on the program include: Saturday—Prize story telling contest and debate; Sunday—Baccalaureate sermon by Dr. Arthur Jones of San Antonio; Monday—Baccalaureate address by Robert E. Vinson, president of the University of Texas; business meeting of the alumni and the presentation of diplomas and certificates.

DRAFTED MEN TWICE TRIES TO KILL SELF

(By Associated Press)
Fort Worth, May 29.—A young Oklahoman who arrived with the draft contingent Monday attempted twice to kill himself last night. He slashed his throat with a knife and then tried to hang himself but was discovered.

Tells Food Problems Here and Abroad

Acting Director T. O. Walton of the extension service has advised County Agent Beason that through the courtesy of the bureau of animal industry at Washington, D. C., they have secured the services of Dr. Edward Brown of London, Eng., who will deliver an address in Bryan on Tuesday, June 11, 1918, on the subject of "War Conditions and Food Situation in Europe," with special emphasis on poultry raising as a means of assisting in solving the food problem.

Dr. Brown being an eminent poultryman and having been in Europe most of the time since the war began is in position to give the people of Brazos county interesting and most helpful information. County Agent Beason has turned the matter of arrangements over to the commercial club who will see that nothing is left undone in the way of providing for the coming of Dr. Brown.

REGISTRATION OF GERMAN ALIEN FEMALES BEGINS JUNE 17

The following is authorized by the department of justice:

The general rules and regulations for the registration of German alien females have been prescribed and issued by the attorney general of the United States under the authority of the president's proclamation dated April 19, 1918, issued after the amendment, by act of congress approved April 16, 1918, of section 4067 of the revised statutes concerning alien enemies, so as to include women.

The registration throughout the continental United States will begin on Monday, June 17, 1918, and continue on each day thereafter, excluding Sunday, June 23, 1918, up to and including Wednesday, June 26, 1918.

The registration will be made under the direction of the war work division of the department of justice, and will be conducted for the department in cities or municipalities having a population of 5000 or over by the federal census of 1910, by the police officials, and in communities having a population of less than 5000 by the same census (which communities are termed in the regulations "nonurban areas"), by the postmasters. In cities or municipalities the registration will take place in the police stations in the various police precincts and in such nonurban areas or communities the registration will take place in the postoffices.

In general, the plan of the registration of German alien females is the same as that followed in the registration last February of the German alien males.

Each person who must register will be required to register her finger prints. The finger printing is not to be taken as an imputation that the registrant is not a law-abiding person. It is a method of identification simply. This method is observed in the military and naval service of the United States and is, as well, in general use for identification purposes.

MINKERT APPOINTED.

Upon the request of County Attorney Lamar Bethea the commissioners' court has appointed an assistant county attorney, naming J. G. Minkert to the position. Mr. Minkert has filed his oath of office with County Clerk Ferguson.

It was ordered that the county treasurer buy bond No. 140 in the sum of \$500 of road district No. 2 out of court house bond sinking fund, also out of bridge bond sinking fund buy bond No. 139 in the sum of \$500; also out of road district No. 1 bond sinking fund buy bond Nos. 107 to 138 inclusive, in the sum of \$16,000; also ordered that the county treasurer call in bridge warrants in the sum of \$1000.

REPLICA OF LIBERTY.

(By Associated Press)
El Paso, May 29.—A replica of the statue of liberty in New York harbor is to be placed in the plaza here, under plans now being formed by El Paso citizens. Under the plans the base of the statue would be fitted up as executive rooms for liberty loan, Red Cross, war savings and allied war campaign headquarters. The top of the base would serve as band and speakers' stand. Rough estimates place the cost of the statue at several thousand dollars, which would be raised by public subscription. The statue would be of brick, metal, lath and wood with an extension of plaster.

MOONSHINE STILL.

(By Associated Press)
Dallas, May 29.—Three men were brought into Dallas last week from Kaufman county, charged with operating an old time moonshine still at Kaufman. The alleged moonshiners are Nelson Tucker, John H. Yielding and Ernest Alexander. On charges of violating the federal law prohibiting the manufacture or sale of liquor without a federal license, the men are being held in default of bail. Whisky and paraphernalia were confiscated.

NINE WOMEN RIGSDAG.

Copenhagen, May 29.—Denmark's first rigsdag assembled under the new constitution giving equal suffrage to women was formally opened today by King Christian in the new Christianborg palace on the site of the old palace burned 34 years ago. There are nine women members.

R. L. Batton of Cottonwood was in town today.

CARRY MORE BULLETS THAN THE GERMANS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 28.—An important part of the equipment for battle now used by American and British troops are w-b ammunition belts that carry 100 rounds more ammunition than the Germans.

Give Silver Service to Dr. and Mrs. Weaver

As a token of their appreciation and friendship for Dr. and Mrs. E. Weaver, a committee of ladies, representing a large number of contributors, called upon Mrs. Weaver this morning and presented them with a very handsome silver service. It was more than the usual service of this sort, being solid silver and of such value, not only for its intrinsic worth, but because of the sentiment it conveyed they will not trust it to even Uncle Sam in shipping it to Weatherford, but will carry it with them. Dr. Weaver happened to be absent from home at the time of presentation.

370 Mechanics Over Top On Insurance

Captain F. W. Zeller, commanding the Texas A. and M. college training detachment, consisting of motor mechanics, carpenters, blacksmiths and technicians, announces that the 370 men in his present command have "gone over the top" in the matter of life insurance, having taken out the maximum insurance of \$10,000 each, which makes a total for this detachment of \$3,700,000. While all military units in the country have purchased heavily of government insurance, it is believed this is one of the very few units if not the only one where every man has bought as much insurance as the government will permit him to take out and Captain Zeller is proud of the showing his men have made.

DISTRICT COURT.

H. S. Morehead, Judge.

Adella F. Dodson vs. M. E. Reynolds, suit for partition, dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

S. H. Dunlap vs. I. & G. N. Ry. Co., appeal from justice court; dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

Max Tapper vs. James A. Baker, receiver for I. & G. N. Ry. Co., damages, defendant files rule for costs.

M. E. Weaver vs. E. R. Williams, sequestration; dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

Tom Sebesta vs. Edward W. Wilkerson, et al., sequestration; dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

B. Youngblood vs. unknown heirs of Moseley Barker, trespass to try title; judgment for plaintiff for lands and premises sued for, removing cloud from title and quitting plaintiff in his title and possession of same.

Geo. D. Tucker vs. Winfred McCorquodale, to remove cloud from title; judgment for plaintiff for the land and premises sued for, divesting defendant of all title to same, real and apparent and resting title in plaintiff.

Affa Williams vs. Chas. Nitch, et al., suit on note and for foreclosure, dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

Mrs. M. C. Berger vs. H. & T. C. Ry. Co., damages in death of son; jury sworn and empanelled and by agreement and upon request of the parties the case was withdrawn from the jury and proceeded to trial before the court; after hearing the evidence the pleadings and argument of counsel, the court is of the opinion and so finds that the defendant was engaged in interstate commerce at the time of the injury complained of, that it was negligent and that plaintiff should recover her damages in the sum of \$2250.

Irene Martin vs. Edwin Martin, divorce. It appearing to the court that this cause not having been filed 30 days and that plaintiff's allegation of three years' abandonment is fully sustained by the proof, it is ordered that she, on June 14, be granted a divorce.

Ella Jones vs. James Jones, divorce, same order and same date.

Frank Strong vs. Alma Strong, divorce; granted.

Vessie Sherman vs. Charlie Sherman, divorce; granted; abandonment.

Matthew Johnson vs. Elmie Johnson, divorce; granted.

Julia Wells vs. Ed Wells, divorce; granted.

Essie Pearson vs. Henry Pearson, divorce; granted.

J. W. FRANKLIN DEAD.

J. W. Franklin, who lived three or four miles out on the Kurten road, died last evening after an illness that has continued since about Christmas. The funeral was held this afternoon and interment was in the Steep Hollow cemetery.

Mr. Franklin was born June 28, 1857, in Mississippi, and has been a resident of this county for the past 10 or 12 years, following the occupation of a tenant farmer. He leaves a family and a large number of friends, for he made friends of all who knew him.

BESSIE LOU GARRET DEAD.

Bessie Lou Garrett, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garrett of the Rosprim community, died and was buried yesterday in the Newsum cemetery. She was born August 30 of last year and was thus about nine months old.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

J. Erwin Simpson and Miss Laura Allen.
E. H. Giles and Elsie Morgerson.
L. R. Hopkins and Miss Mary Poss.

ENEMY ARTILLERY ACTIVE.

(By Associated Press)
London, May 29.—German artillery is active north of Albert and in the Flanders salient east of Robeco, the war office announces. Enemy fire was increased locally in the regions of Arras and Lens.

ORDNANCE BUREAU UNDERGOES CHANGES

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 28.—Changes in the organization of the ordinance department of the army and promoting for efficiency in divisions charged with the execution of the ordinance program, are announced by the acting chief of ordinance.

AMERICANS REPULSE GAS BOMBARDMENT

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 28.—A section of General Pershing's communique yesterday, made public today by the war department, says the enemy gas bombardment on advanced positions in Picardy was repulsed. Two places in the line were penetrated. There were also gas attacks in Lorraine.

THREE BRYAN GIRLS GRADUATE COLLEGE OF INDUSTRIAL ARTS

An announcement from the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, Texas, will be of interest to the people of Bryan, as it concerns the graduation from that institution of three Bryan girls, Misses Lucy Harrison, Lilac Jones and Lillie Fay Sanders.

The announcement states that 51 young women will receive the degree of bachelor of arts or bachelor of science this year and that 116 young women, among whom are Misses Harrison, Jones and Sanders, will receive their diplomas of graduation. Fourteen young women will receive certificates from the commercial arts department, 17 from the homemakers' course and three from the vocational course. Commencement exercises will begin Saturday, June 1, and will be concluded Wednesday, June 5, with the commencement address this year delivered by Joe J. Taylor of Dallas, the well known "State Press" of the Galveston-Dallas News.

Miss Lucy Harrison is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Harrison of Bryan, and has majored in domestic science at the college. She is one of the few members of the Press club, the honorary literary society of the college, membership which calls for a "B" standing in all studies, the unanimous vote of the club, and popularity as well as college spirit. Miss Harrison is also a member of the Chaparral Literary society and the Y. W. C. A.

Miss Lilac Jones is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Jones of Bryan and is a very popular student at the C. I. A. She majored in domestic art at the state college and is a member of the Chaparral, Y. W. C. A. and the athletic association.

Miss Lillie Fay Sanders is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sanders of Bryan and is very happily characterized in the college annual (Daedalian) as the possessor of "a smiling face and a friendly way—nuf sed." Miss Sanders majored in domestic science and is a member of the Y. W. C. A. and the Chaparral.

STEEP HOLLOW.

Steep Hollow, May 29.—Mr. and Mrs. John Cloud from Kurten spent Sunday with Mrs. Cloud's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parker.

At the Red Cross July Sunday afternoon Steep Hollow was carried over the top by a large majority. The speakers who made such earnest appeals to the people were W. C. Davis and Law Henderson from Bryan.

Miss Grace Morehead from Bryan visited in our community Sunday.

Irill Hensarling, who is now in training at A. and M. spent the weekend with his cousins, John and Webb Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones and children were guests of Mrs. Mollie Jones Sunday.

A number of our young people enjoyed the patriotic meeting at Reliance Saturday night.

Mrs. Priscilla Andrews and her granddaughter, Miss Davie Crenshaw from Bryan, attended services Sunday at the Methodist church.

BIRTHS RECORDED.

Certificates of birth filed with County Clerk Ferguson:

May 18, 1918.—To Mr. and Mrs. Wingate McCulloch, route 3, a boy, Vernon Lamar.

May 21, 1918.—To Mr. and Mrs. Oreshis Aloin Jones, route 3, a girl, Margia Rebecca.

CHANGED TO CLASS ONE.

The local exemption board during the past few days has changed the classification of more than 100 registrants, bringing them up from the second, third and fourth classes and placing them in class A 1. The change in a majority of the cases were recommended by the county council of defense, which was instructed to investigate each case and could see no valid reason why the registrants should not be in the first class. These men will be available on the next call.

JIM HOOD DEAD.

From Monday's Daily Eagle
Jim Hood died this morning at 3 o'clock, at his home in the Kurten community, and the funeral is to be held there tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. He was 51 years of age and leaves a family resident at the home. He has been a resident of Brazos county for 10 or 12 years, and has made many friends who mourn his demise.

George H. Echols of Rosprim was in the city today and reported a fine yield of Irish potatoes. The object of his visit to town was to try to find a market for his surplus potato crop.

HARVESTING WHEAT IN DALLAS REGION

(By Associated Press)
Dallas, May 28.—The harvesting of wheat fields in this section began this week. By the first of next week the bulk of the grain cutting will be started.

U. S. AIRMEN TO HELP DEFEND PARIS

(By Associated Press)
Paris, May 24.—An American escadrille, composed of the best aviators, will help defend Paris in future air raids. This help was offered by the chief of American aviation and accepted by the French government.

The official announcement says the American offers were made after the recent German air raid. Final arrangements were made today.

RED CROSS ACTIVITIES

Bryan, Texas Chapter.

A call comes from the Bryan Red Cross work room for more workers; women to sew on hospital garments, women and girls to make surgical dressings, women to knit, women to serve in every capacity for the furthering of Red Cross work.

This call is an urgent one and should be heeded; it is an earnest, serious pleading, and we can but feel that it will meet with a ready response from the women of our town. Surely the women of Bryan are not willingly neglecting Red Cross work. Surely they realize the fact that our boys in the army are looking to us for the comforts and necessities that only the Red Cross can carry to them. If you have a son, a brother or kinsman who wears the American khaki, remember this: while he serves in the fighting lines you must serve in the Red Cross, so that his health, his morals, his spirits, his life may be protected by the mightiest organization for service that mankind has ever seen.

It has been said "this war will be won by America, when the people behind the fighting lines learn to obey orders." We who can not wear uniforms or bear arms have our duty to perform nevertheless and if we fail we are slackers, just as truly as is the coward who does not answer the call to the colors. The Red Cross offers an opportunity for the highest patriotic service outside the army and navy and your local chapter is pleading for workers every day. Will you answer the call?

To enlist in the army of the Red Cross proves you a patriot; to fail proves you a slacker. Do your duty and do it now. If you can not knit or sew or make surgical dressings apply at Red Cross work room, any way, for there is plenty of work to be done outside. The local Red Cross has grown into a great business concern and every part of the work must go steadily on.

The Red Cross is another name for patriotic opportunity—your opportunity to serve.

Box No. 39, containing 120 split irrigation pads, box 40, containing the same and box 41 containing 85 knitted sweaters, 50 pairs of knitted socks, 29 mufflers, 30 pairs of wrist-lets and six helmets were shipped from the local Red Cross chapter this week, going to southwestern division headquarters, at St. Louis.

The call for Red Cross workers in the local work rooms keeps coming to the publicity chairman, with the urgent request that special mention be made of it in the Daily and Weekly Eagle, every day, until the women and girls of Bryan are awakened to their duty. The chairmen of surgical dressings and hospital garments authorize the statement that the College auxiliary and the negro women at their work room in this city have done more work, by actual count, during May, than the entire city of Bryan.

The Bohemian auxiliary, through its treasurer, Mrs. Marie Valouch, has brought into the chapter during May 43 new members and a monthly collection in cash of \$25.40.

The Steep Hollow Red Cross was among the first auxiliaries organized in the county and is still doing good work. Mrs. I. M. Cook, chairman, made report during May of 30 new members and monthly collection of \$16.60.

One Bryan girl has knitted nine sweaters for the soldiers, besides several mufflers and helmets. This is a good record, indeed, and one worthy of emulation.

RED CROSS OVERSUBSCRIBED.

Washington, May 29.—Final figures on the Red Cross \$100,000,000 fund still were incomplete tonight, but on the face of the latest returns the fund was oversubscribed \$48,833,367. Figures yet to be received were expected to carry the total to \$150,000,000.

Want Ad Department

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—2000 acres of unimproved timbered bottom land, 10 miles east of Bryan; not leased for oil, will sell land reasonable. Go look it over and if interested write me your best price on cash basis. Terms if desired on part. Will divide land and sell part. Write or wire owner, Wm. P. Wineman, Flat Rock, Ill. W21-W1

SINN FEIN EXPOSE AND PARLIAMENT

(By Associated Press)
London, May 28.—Parliament reassembled today. Although matters to be considered are not exciting the members are meeting in keen anticipation of some official utterance regarding alleged German-Irish plot and arrests of the Sinn Feiners.

NO STATEMENT NOW.

(By Associated Press)
London, May 28.—Bonar Law, government spokesman in the house of commons, announced he had no intention at present of making any statement regarding affairs in Ireland.

RED CROSS MARKET IN CONNECTION WITH SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The scholarship contest by the woman's club for gardens grown and the greatest number of chickens raised by the girls in Brazos county will start to be judged June 1 by the extension department of the A. and M. college. A number of gardens and poultry yards will be visited and it will take about 10 days to get around, and on Saturday, June 15, the display of dried vegetables, fresh vegetables, canned vegetables and fruits will be brought to Bryan to the Wagner building to be judged and the awarding of the scholarships and prizes to the winning girls, and in connection of this day it is planned to have the Junior Red Cross or school children of Brazos county have a Red Cross market day, like last fall, to bring eggs, vegetables, chickens, butter, pies, canned fruits, everything and sell it for the Red Cross. This will be a big day again and do a big thing for the Red Cross. Get your mother to let you bring